

30 KILLED; 50 HURT IN WRECK IN SWITZERLAND

BERNE, SWITZERLAND, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Thirty persons are reported to have been killed and fifty injured when the Zurich and Milan express collided near Bellinzona, this morning. Twelve bodies have been recovered. Twenty-one bodies have been removed from the wreckage early this afternoon, most of them so badly burned that identification was impossible. Each train was driven by two large electric engines, all four of which were demolished. The four engines were killed.

Two Dead In Wave Of Gun Battles

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—One policeman and one negro dead was the toll today of a wave of gun using which swept over the negro section of Columbus yesterday. Police early today were conducting a cleanup of all negro sections, searching all negroes for guns and other weapons in an effort to forestall any further outbreaks among them. Patrolman Troy C. Stewart was shot early yesterday by Charles Thomas, whom Stewart attempted to arrest after Thomas had shot Charles Summers, negro following an altercation over a girl. Stewart returned the fire and Thomas is in a serious condition from bullet wounds. The other dead man is Joe Taylor, who was killed during a gun fight with Frank Moore, negro, at the latter's home. Three negroes are being held in connection with the killing of Stewart.

Bombed



Home of Rev. J. E. H. Smith, Buffalo vice crusader, after it had been bombed by enemies of the cause. The building is a two-story structure with significant damage to the roof and walls.

Johnson Continues Assault On Coolidge Forces In Ohio; Scores Coolidge's Vacillation

CANTON, O., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Cheered repeatedly by his more than 3,000 hearers, Senator Hiram W. Johnson, of California, spoke at the City Auditorium here last night in his tour of five Ohio cities on which he is making a determined assault upon the Republican forces rallying to the Coolidge standard. Senator Johnson was introduced here by H. H. Thinks, Canton manufacturer, who is a Johnson candidate for delegate-at-large from the state to the national convention at Cleveland.

The question of the metal oil reserve and veterans' bureau investigations, the editor bonus and the nations foreign policy were taken up in the course of the senator's address along with phases of these issues.

Regarding the Teapot Dome, the senator for much Western State asserted that "out of all this mess, there is a lesson for the American people." If the lessons by are to hold.

He termed the leasing of government oil reserves against the people an offense against the security of the country in a defenseless way, absolving himself from guilt in the matter and declaring that the "genesis of what transpired" was the transfer of the oil lands to the Interior department.

These oil leases, he said, were made by former Secretary Fall to Sinclair and Leidy in a desire for profit alone. Senator Johnson insisted that the characterization of the transaction as a "friendly deal" which has been discredited is not to go unchallenged.

Common honesty in business and government is essential at this time, the senator said. He declared that "this is a time for immediate, swift, certain and drastic action" and that a time for hesitation or vacillation or secution was in the sacred precincts of the White House itself.

He reviewed the ejection of trespassers on the oil reserve by Marines and said that the tendency is to "deal leniently with squatters and trespassers and satisfy with great multi-million dollar magnates."

Regarding the United States Veterans' Bureau for soldier relief, Senator Johnson declared that it is a "disgrace" that the bureau is not doing more for the veterans.

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Johnson contented himself with the one assertion that "half of the story has not been told."

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The letters of C. Bascom Sloop said to be from the congressional record and to relate to "barter of postoffice appointments" were read and commented upon as an index to conditions that exist in Washington today.

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Pinchot Sees His Defeat As A Wet Victory

HARRISBURG, PA., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Governor Pinchot saw his defeat for Republican delegate-at-large in a state election today in which he would rather be beaten as the foe of liquor than win as its friend.

The governor acknowledged defeat and said he had no personal complaint because he made no campaign. Pinchot said he gave no credence to the wet claim that his defeat was a setback for enforcement and that he believed the vote did not represent the heart and conscience of Pennsylvania. Pinchot said he intended to take the matter of law enforcement in hand more vigorously than ever before.

Governor Pinchot and the issue of liquor law enforcement were swamped under in the Pennsylvania primary. Pinchot was defeated for a place on the list of seven delegates-at-large by Ralph Beaver Strassburger, millionaire owner of The Norristown Herald, who two days before election received full support of Republican organizations in Philadelphia, Allegheny and other large counties. President Calvin Coolidge is now assured of a solid delegation of 79 votes from the Keystone state at the Cleveland convention. For the first time in the memory of the oldest elector, Pennsylvania has failed to send its governor to the convention of the party whose policies he embraced.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Ralph Beaver Strassburger, wealthy Norristown publisher, running against Governor Gifford Pinchot in yesterday's primary for delegate-at-large to the Republican National convention had a lead of over 200,000 votes in half the eleven districts of the state. (Returns from 3,799 districts of the 3,119 in the state early today gave Strassburger, 342,628, and Pinchot, 138,007.)

The city of Philadelphia alone returned a majority for Strassburger of 190,107, the vote in the city's 1,402 districts being: Strassburger, 223,320; Pinchot, 34,215.

The other six candidates for Republican delegates-at-large, who were endorsed by the state organization—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, United States Senators Pepper and Reed, William S. Vare, representative in Congress, W. Harry Baker, chairman of the state Republican committee, and Mrs. Elizabeth Price Martin, appeared on the basis of the incomplete returns received, to have run according to the plans of the leaders. Although none of the Republican delegates-at-large are placed to any candidate, all are believed to favor the nomination of President Coolidge.

Coolidge Overwhelms Johnson In New Jersey
NEWARK, N. J., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—President Coolidge overwhelmed Senator Hiram W. Johnson, of California, in the New Jersey preferential primary. With 528 election districts still unreported, the president had a lead of nearly 57,000 votes, which was being increased by late returns. President Coolidge captured the entire slate of 31 Republican National Convention delegates. Returns from 2,186 election districts out of 2,514 in the state gave for presidential preference: Coolidge, 95,366; Johnson, 11,438. Governor George S. Silzer, was endorsed by the Democrats for the presidential nomination.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Selections of the temporary and permanent chairmanships of the Republican national convention are being given considerable thought by President Coolidge, and he is expected to make known his preferences before next Wednesday when the national committee's sub-committee on arrangements will meet at Cleveland.

The president conferred with a number of political leaders on the subject while in New York to address the annual luncheon of the Associated Press, but desired to consider the matter further before making a decision. He is understood to be devoting chief attention to the temporary chairmanship, since the man selected for that post usually sounds the campaign keynote.

Chanctey M. Depew 90 Years Old; Attributes Long Life to "Switching"

NEW YORK, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Ten years from today Chanctey M. Depew may start playing golf, but just now, when he's only 90 years old, he won't break the daily routine at his office, he said yesterday.

The veteran railroad man, after dinner speaker and former United States senator, celebrates his 90th birthday today planning to spend it as any other day. He arrives in his office about 10 o'clock each morning and leaves between 4:30 and 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Each birthday he wades through piles of congratulatory letters and telegrams, and for several years he has been explaining to reporters the secrets of his long and healthy life.

"I ascribe my long life to my ability to 'switch'," he said. "I have been in the railroad business for fifty-nine years and have associated with the successful, constructive men who built up the railroad systems of the country. Nearly all have died early or their health has been seriously impaired."

"A study of their lives has convinced me that it was their inability to get away from the problems that weighed upon them."

Mr. Depew hopes to speak again this year at the Republican National Convention. At the last one in Chicago he spoke for 45 minutes and he has been attending them regularly since 1884.

Mr. Depew approves of women in politics, but thinks they take it all too seriously, especially their speeches, for they leave out funny stories and, according to his own statement he would rather tell funny stories, than be president. He believes President Coolidge will be re-elected and thinks the younger generation is headed in a direction opposite from the dogs.

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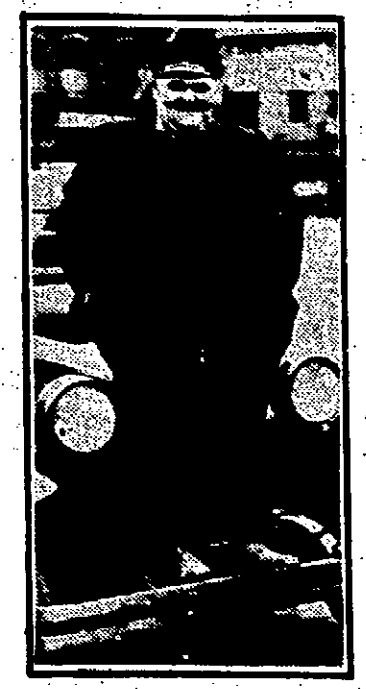
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WOMAN BOUND, GAGGED AND HAIR SHORN

Assailant Then Robs Her House

CANTON, O., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Attacked by a man who gained entrance to her home about ten o'clock Wednesday morning by posing as a plumber, Mrs. F. K. Finley, was beaten, bound and gagged and her hair shorn.

The man appeared at the Finley home dressed similar to a plumber, according to the story related by Mrs. Finley. Her husband had ordered a plumber to be sent to the home early in the day and when she opened the door she stepped back to allow the man to enter.

Stepping quickly into the house, the man drew a revolver from his coat pocket and said: "Give me your money and jewelry."

Playing for time, Mrs. Finley invited the intruder to sit down. After fifteen minutes of conversation the man started toward her, she said, jumping from her chair she struck at him, using a blow she said she had learned in gymnasium work. Her fist hit the man on the jaw and he dropped to the floor.

Believing that she had knocked him out she started for the door but he jumped up and seized her. After overpowering Mrs. Finley, the man bound and gagged her and then bobbed her hair on one side.

She then lapsed into unconsciousness. When she became conscious the intruder had gone and after freeing herself, she crawled to the telephone and summoned her husband. The man had ransacked the house, but secured only \$4. Police are combing the city for trace of the man.

Attorney Acquired
YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Leo Wilkoff, prominent Youngstown attorney, today stands acquitted of a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a 17-year-old girl. Wilkoff was found not guilty by a jury late yesterday after brief deliberation.

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President Attempting To Convert Public Opinion To Economic Relationship With Europe

(BY DAVID LAWRENCE)
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NEW YORK, April 23.—President Coolidge has undertaken to convert the public opinion of the United States to economic relationship with Europe.

Pointing out that formulas for peace, armament conferences and even the revision of international law must await "a composed state of mind in Europe," the President has appealed to America to give its moral and material support to the Dawes-Young report for the economic reconstruction of Europe.

While Mr. Coolidge boldly defied critics inside the Republican party by announcing his unaltered belief in the necessity of American membership in the world court, he seized the opportunity afforded him in addressing the editors assembled at the annual luncheon of The Associated Press here to begin a campaign of education on the part America shall play in helping Europe to economic stability.

Mr. Coolidge made it plain that the investors of the United States shall subscribe to the forthcoming loan, not merely to resuscitate German finances, but to aid in the general reparation settlement. He significantly pointed out that the United States refuses to discuss reduction of allied war debts still owing to America, but that this policy "never meant that America was not willing to lend its assistance to the solution of the European problems in any way that did not involve us in their purely political controversies."

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Propose Change In Chemistry Courses

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Reforms in college and high school chemistry courses, heat transfer and problems of dye, rubber, leather and related products occupied the delegates attending today's sessions of the American Chemical Society.

The diversity of length and content of high school courses and differing entrance requirements with respect to chemistry on the part of colleges, were listed as the major faults observed in courses conducted by the committee on education appointed at the September meeting of the society in Milwaukee.

Adoption of the report, which was submitted by Professor Neile Gordon, of the University of Maryland, was announced today by the society's council. In an attempt to correct this educational situation, the committee reported that regional representatives have been appointed in thirty-seven states and a new outline of high school chemistry brought to the attention of 3,000 teachers had received general approval, while a proposed uniform college course and plans for a national organization to deal with chemical education are being worked out. Establishment of a national journal of chemical education also was urged.

Ready For Balloon Elimination Race

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Seven anxious pilots and their seven aides had completed all their preparations early today for the start this afternoon in the National Balloon Elimination race at Kelly Field.

Favorable weather conditions are predicted and the first balloon is scheduled to take the air at 4:30 p. m. This course is expected to be the most difficult. To break the world's record of 1,586 miles, the winner must travel as far as Bangor, Maine.

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN



This continued cold weather's hard on the coal pile, but its saving on the gasoline bill at least. Here's for tomorrow:

THURSDAY—Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Possibly local rains in extreme north portion. Warmer tonight and in south and central portions Thursday.

KENTUCKY—Fairly cloudy and slightly warmer tonight. Thursday increasing cloudiness and somewhat warmer, possibly showers in west portion.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 63; low, 32.

RAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alky

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Drives "Fliv" To California In 12 Days

Do you think it is possible to drive a flivver from Portsmouth to California in 12 days? Well that is the trick Delta Artie, a former well known city fireman, has just turned.

drove from here to San Diego, Cal., in 12 days and this city is over 3,000 miles from Portsmouth. This means that Artie averaged 250 miles per day and when it is considered much of

this was in the Rocky Mountains as he drove through New Mexico and over the famous Pecos Pass, 9,000 feet high he certainly had a busy time at the wheel.

Henry Ford, Auto King, Visits Ironton; Shops to be Located at South Charleston

IRONTON, O., April 23.—Henry Ford reports to the effect that Ford, Detroit, auto manufacturer, contemplated building a second and owner of the D. T. & I. Hall, way headed a party of D. T. & I. and Canadian National Railway officials who arrived here Tuesday afternoon on an inspection trip over the road. The party were only here a few hours, leaving about 3 o'clock. It included E. G. Liebold, secretary to Mr. Ford, R. E. Leatherman and General Manager Rockelmann of the D. T. & I. and ten officials of the Canadian line.

The party spent Monday in Springfield and there, according to an article carried in Tuesday's issue of The Springfield Sun, confirmed reports of the purchase of 1800 acres of land at South Charleston, about twelve miles south east of Springfield, according to the article all shops and terminal facilities of the D. T. & I. at Springfield will be moved to this site. The party, however refused to confirm

George Hill Seriously Ill

George Hill is seriously ill at his home on the West Side. He is the well known former county commissioner and is at the head of the George Hill Motor company of this city.

Plugs Are Flushed

Fire plugs in various sections of the city were flushed Wednesday by city firemen.

Named Superintendent of Big Four GINOINATI—Charles S. Millard named superintendent of the Big Four Railroad and its auxiliaries to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Earl M. Condon.

BIRTHS

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson of Charleston, W. Va., who formerly resided in Portsmouth.

To Open Confectionery

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mitchell of this city will soon open a new confectionery in Ashland, Ky.

Former Local Citizen Suffers Broken Leg in Pittsburgh Plant

Mrs. Al Windel of Offing street received word this morning that her brother, Jeff Kirkendall, of Pittsburgh had suffered a broken leg when a conveyor in the rolling mill, where he is employed, fell on him.

How To Mark Your Ballot

Proper marking of ballots for Coolidge delegates at the presidential primaries Tuesday was emphasized at the regular weekly meeting of the Scoto County Republican Coolidge Club, held last night in the club rooms on Sixth street.

For the guidance of voters who desire to support the Coolidge candidates the following instructions were issued last night:

Instructions to Republican Electors
At the primary Tuesday you will be given two ballots upon which to express your choice for president. Each should be voted. The small one is the preference ballot. To vote your preference for President Coolidge put a X mark before his name. The more important ballot is the large delegate ballot. Be sure to vote for such district delegates and alternates as are approved by President Coolidge. Remember, these delegates attend the National Convention and their votes are what count for the president in the convention. To properly vote the delegate then.

Delegates at Large
Mrs. John Gordon Battelle, Frank B. Willis, Simeon D. Fess, Charles L. Knight, William Cooper Procter, Anna S. Tol, Harry M. Daugherty.
Alternate at Large
Hallie O. Brown, J. B. Cartmell, Thomas S. Farrell, Wilma Sinclair Le Van, Fred D. Patterson, Marshall Shepper, Edward Vollrath.
District Delegates
Henry Rannon, Robert M. Andre, District Alternates
John C. Martin, Ernest B. Suttler.
Delegates to the State Convention appear upon the same ballot. There is no opposition to them. Vote for each of

SHEET MILLS TO RESUME SUNDAY

It will be joyous news to the citizens in general to learn that the sheet mills in the Portsmouth Works, Wheeling Steel Corporation, which have been down for some little time, will resume active operations on next Sunday at midnight.

Word went out from officials

Wednesday that the following mills will resume at the above times: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23. All of which means that Portsmouth is going to share in prosperity.

Employees of the above numbered mills are asked to present

themselves for work on Sunday at midnight.

No word was received as to how long a run the mills would experience, but the fact that so many will be started would indicate that orders were quite plentiful.

Sunday School Conference, Institute Opens In Franklin Ave. Church Thursday

Banquet sessions Thursday and Friday evenings at Franklin Avenue M. E. church will feature the annual conference and institute to be held by the Sunday school teachers and leaders of this county. The banquet each evening will be at 5:30. At the Friday night affair something different in the way of entertainment is planned. C. C. Bennett and John M. Williams will be used to furnish this part of the banquet program. An added feature will be the Kitchen Cabinet orchestra under the direction of Fred Klingman.

At both of these banquets Purl E. Deltz of Dayton and Mrs. G. H. Vanderburgh of Columbus will be the principal speakers. Several toasts will be given on Friday evening by local young people.

Following is the banquet program:

Toastmaster—Willard Ellisor.

Toasts (Plain and Buttered.)

Our Leaders—"Who Draw up the Plans"—Lowell Dever.

Response—Rev. Purl E. Deltz and

Mrs. G. H. Vanderburgh. Our Officers—"Who Boss the Job"—Evelyn Campbell. Response—Helen Barklow, Girls' President and Henry Ruck, Boys' President.

You and I—"The Arms Behind the Hammer"—Ralph Monk.

Our Ideals—"The Building That is to Be"—Edward Arpee.

The Jesters—C. C. Bennett and John Williams.

The Kitchen Cabinet Orchestra—Led by Fred A. Klingman.

A Quiet Moment—Led by Rev. George Weaver.

7:30 to 9:00—Evening Session.

A. F. Young Named Chairman Of The Citizen's Military Training Camp

Arthur F. Young has been appointed chairman for Scoto County in the 1924 campaign for the Citizens' Military Training Camp, which will open July 2 at Camp Knox, Kentucky, and continue throughout the month.

According to Mr. Young, the drive to enroll 5300 able-bodied young men in the Fifth Corps Area, comprising Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and West Virginia, will officially begin April 1, and it is planned to have the quota filled early in June.

As in previous years, the month's

training will be entirely at the expense of the government, including railroad fare to and from the camp, meals enroute, uniforms, food, quarters, laundry service and medical and dental attention.

Mr. Young will receive applications at his headquarters, Young and Young's office, 834 Gallia St., from any young man between the ages of sixteen and a half and twenty four years, who is of good moral character, average general intelligence and good physical condition.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Stout (Helen Lister) of bridge and groom of recent date, have returned from a visit with relatives and friends near Hillsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Stout will make their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lister, of 1825 Vinton avenue, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Woodruff, above Scotoville, until their home in the Midway Addition is completed.

The Otterbein Society of the United Brethren Church will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Tudor, 1412 Seventeenth street.

Mrs. Marling Mitchell welcomed the members of the M. E. Club to her home on Franklin avenue Tuesday for the regular meeting.

At the close of an informal afternoon of serving and social chat the hostess served a delicious two-course lunch to the following members: Misses Opal Crawford, Hazel Clark, Georgina Smith, Gladys McClain and Mrs. Frank Puntener.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. P. Grubb, Eighth and Gay streets, with Miss Helen Miller as hostess.

A group of friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fullerton gathered at their home on Robinson avenue last eve-

Crack Volley Ballers Clash Thursday Night

Three games to decide the season's championship in the Class A Volley Ball league will be played Thursday evening at 5 o'clock in the old high school gym between the Bankers and Selby Clubs. The Bankers were winners of the first half and the Culls of the second half. Captain Will McNamara of the Bankers will use Henderson, Tibb Brumby, Hopkins and Baesman. The Culls will have Captain Fout H. Selby, R. Selby, Freeman, Bruer and Goddard.

Cheese It, the Camel Cops!



It may take "Sikh Abdul of the Mounted" a little longer to "get his man," but he's on the job anyhow. This good-natured Somali cop who steers traffic on the desert was caught by the cameraman as he was asking a visiting "gob" if an American policeman had camels. The gob's answer, very likely, had some thing to do with "nine days without a drink."

January 1918, a resolution was adopted, ordering that himself, John C. Bauer and George A. Goodman be paid certain stipulated salaries and in addition thereto a bonus of \$3,000, jointly for each 5 percent earned in 1918, and says that in 1919 the officers were voted additional compensation of \$5,000 each. Plaintiff, George A. Goodman, says that the compensation being fixed at \$20,000 a year. He says that the net earnings of the company in 1918 amounted to \$81,062.64 and that on the basis of computation set forth in the contract his extra compensation for 1918 was \$5,000, which was not to be paid him until the earnings for the year 1918 had been paid to the stockholders by way of dividends, which he claims will be due him when the dividends referred to have been paid, besides, he claims \$2,400 extra compensation for 1923.

Mr. Briggs further complains that on February 23, 1924, at a special meeting of the stockholders of the company a resolution was adopted ordering that all credits standing on the books to the account of William M. Briggs, George A. Goodman and George A. Goodman, except credits for salaries for 1924, be extended and returned to the undivided profit accounts, and claims that a further resolution was adopted instructing the board of directors to take regard and hold for naught the resolution adopted December 31, 1923, respecting the payment of extra compensation.

Plaintiff says that since \$14,000 of the credits are now present due and owing him, declares he has no adequate relief at law and prays that the resolution may be adjudged to be null and void and set aside and that the defendant company's officers be enjoined from expunging the credits from the books, and that defendant be ordered to pay him \$2,400.

Seeks Divorce, Etc.

Alleging neglect, cruelty, infidelity and declaring that he associates with other women for immoral purposes, Mrs. Theresa Meyers, 618 Third street, seeks divorce and alimony with custody of their two minor children, one and two years old, in an action filed in Common Pleas court Wednesday against George R. Meyers, former 23 N. W. employee.

In her petition filed through Attorney B. F. Kimble, plaintiff complains that Meyers has failed to support her and their children properly and declares that he has cursed, struck and threatened her with violence, besides, she says, he has beat and abused the children unmercifully without cause. Furthermore, she claims that Meyers uses liquor to excess and avers he has repeatedly told her that he did not love her, urged her to procure a divorce and boasted he never intended to support her and her children.

See Is Made Defendant

Font Bee, 4330 Gallia street, Boston, is made defendant in a suit for divorce and alimony instituted by Margaret Bee, Chillicothe, suing through Attorneys Minshall and Phillips, Chillicothe in the Ross county Common Pleas court.

In her petition the plaintiff charges neglect and cruelty. Sheriff Dunham served process of the court upon its defendant today.

Returned To Jackson

Floyd E. McGraw, arrested by county officers Monday at the instance of Jackson county authorities, was returned to Jackson yesterday by Sheriff McCoy who came after the prisoner. McGraw is wanted here to answer to a non-suit complaint.

Carpenter Given Chance

Oscar Carpenter, brick worker, was taken into custody by county officers and brought before Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Wednesday for an order of the court to pay his weekly alimony payments of \$15.

Carpenter was given another chance after being warned by the court that the order must be obeyed.

Suit In Partition

Suit was filed in common pleas court yesterday by David L. Vallance against Carrie M. Vallance, as her guardian, seeking to have the estate of the late Annie Vallance, partitioned by the court.

Messer Granted Divorce

On the grounds of infidelity and neglect, Henry Messer, Friendship, was granted a decree by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court, divorcing him from Leona Messer after their marriage September, 1921, the defendant began associating improperly with other men, which he declared she continued for sometime and as a result she finally abandoned him entirely last December.

Plaintiff was represented by Attorney W. L. Hostetter.

Real Estate Transfers

George L. Bricker and others to Ed J. Coleman, lot in Lucasville, \$1,000.

C. D. Kessler to Henry Gallen, 21 acres in Porter township, \$1,000.

Ethel F. Blackburn, administrator of the estate of Otto E. Blackburn, to Earl F. Richey, and The Clark-McKeown Company, 504 acres in Rich Creek township, \$5,300.

Martin Dinech, administrator, to John Dinech, to D. M. Linn, 20 acres in Brush Creek township, \$300.

Martin C. Clark to John C. Miller, two lots in Clark's addition, Lucasville, \$1,000.

Levi C. Shope to M. H. Shope, 20 acres in Brush Creek township, \$1,000.

STABILITY

The whole gist of this chat is SAFETY for money. Every man who gets anywhere arrives by the road of sure and steady saving.

He wins because he puts his savings where they are SAFE, instead of trying to get "quick earnings."

The truth is: you haven't even a gambler's chance to "get rich quick."

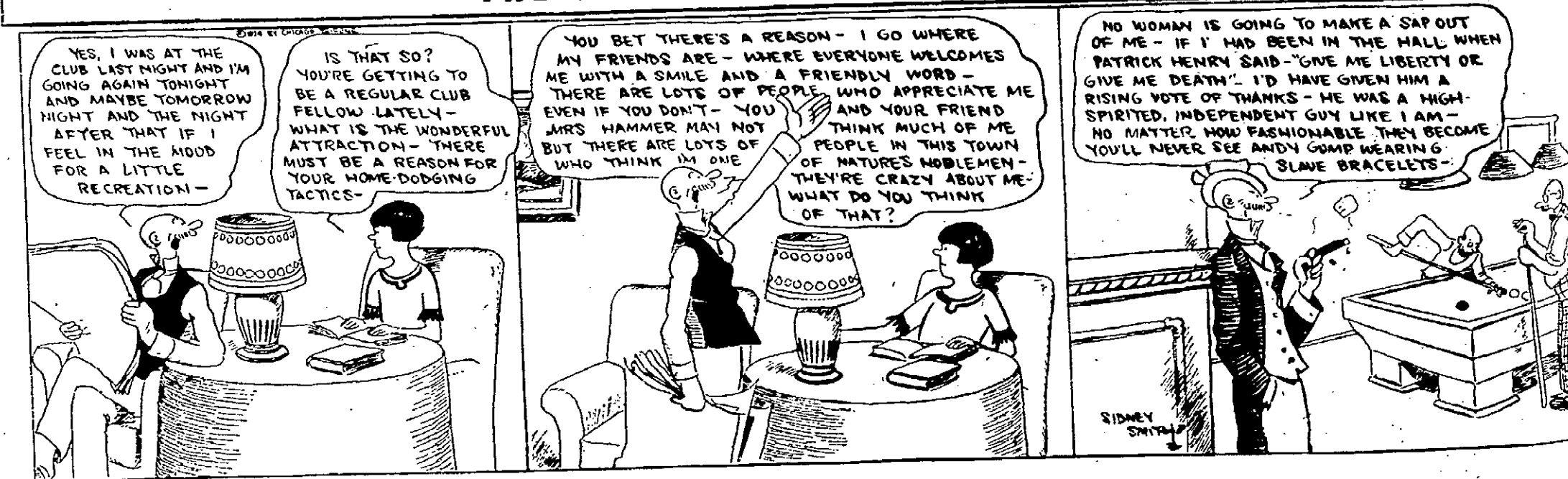
Take this sound advice: invest your savings here, where every dollar is backed by well managed first mortgages, principally on homes.

There simply isn't anything safer.

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Gallia Street On The Square

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Per
Annum
Payable
Twice
A Year

THE GUMPS—BREAKING HOME TIES



COLUMBIA

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW
Here Is One of the Season's
GREATEST PICTURE

WOMAN!

What Is She?

An enchanting mystery?
An illusion of vanity? A
haze of comfort? A
flame of romance?
An enticing degradation?
A holy aspiration?

LOUIS B. MAYER presents

The Fred Niblo production Thy Name Is Woman

Adapted by BESS MEREDYTH from BENJAMIN
GLAZER'S American version of the international
stage success by KARL SCHOENHERR.

Featuring

RAMON NOVARRO

"the perfect lover of the screen," fresh from his
sensational success in the title role of
Rex Ingram's "Scaramouche."

and

BARBARA LA MARR

as the lovely Gertrude, a tiger-moth of a woman,
avid, gay and appealing.

It Will Carry You to an Ecstasy
of Excitement



President

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Mr. Coolidge's address carried with it
the appeal of transcendent importance.
It was the turning point in the pol-
icy of isolation which has been errone-
ously interpreted, not only as political
detachment, but as economic seclusion.
The president follows the note of Sec-
retary Hughes' recent speech in arguing
that political independence for Amer-
ica does not mean economic abstinence.
Realizing that the pendulum has swung
away from Europe too much, Mr. Cool-
idge attempts in his New York speech
to bring American opinion back to eco-
nomic realities—the very thing which
League of Nations advocates used in
their early championship of that cause.
Mr. Coolidge, however, drives the line

sharply between political association
and economic conditions. The one is a
product of governmental action and
agreement and the other is the natural
flow of funds and private business
energy.
"Part of the plan (the Dawes-Young
report) contemplates," says Mr. Cool-
idge, "that a considerable loan should
at once be made to Germany for im-
mediate pressing needs, including the
financing of a bank. I trust that private
American capital will be willing to
participate in the financing of works
of peace in Europe, though we have re-
peatedly asserted that we were not in
favor of advancing funds for any mili-
tary purpose. It would benefit our
trade and commerce and we especially
hope that it will provide a larger mar-
ket for our agricultural production. It

SAVE



Many Housewives—

Have Savings Accounts here—because they
manage their household expenditures on eco-
nomic and systematic basis.

The **Security Bank**

Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION



is notorious that foreign gold has been
flowing into our country in great
abundance. It is altogether probable
that some of it can be used here to
our financial advantage in Europe, than
it can be in the United States. Besides
this, there is the humanitarian require-
ment, which carries such a strong ap-
peal, and the knowledge that out of our
abundance it is our duty to help where
help will be used for meeting just re-
quirements and the promotion of a
peaceful purpose. We have determined
to maintain, and we can maintain, our
own political independence, but our eco-
nomic importance will be strengthened
and increased when the economic stabi-
lity of Europe is restored."

The foregoing passage is not a new
philosophy, but it represents the cau-
tious beginning of a new era in do-
mestic policy, an attempt to draw
America closer to Europe without
formal ties. It is the reiteration of a
thought, that the prosperity of the
United States is bound up in the future
of Europe and that foreign markets
will come to European currencies in-
crease in value and as confidence is re-
stored abroad. The Republican admin-
istration since 1920 has pointed with
pride to the fact that \$5,000,000,000 of
American capital have been invested in
Europe since the armistice and has in-
sisted that America was not ignoring
Europe. The speech of Mr. Coolidge
is an attack on those who have accused
the administration of neglecting Euro-
pe. The prejudices against economic
partnership with Europe, however,
have grown stronger as the political
relationship has been frowned upon. The
President and Secretary Hughes have
begun an appeal to bring America
closer to Europe, not merely for Euro-
pe's sake, but for the advantage of
American farm and factory whose ex-
portable surpluses, if marketed abroad,
would correspondingly stimulate do-
mestic prosperity. As Mr. Coolidge said
in conclusion, "Our first duty is to our-
selves," and he has proclaimed the the-
ory that America helps itself by giving
Europe material aid.

British Exhibition Opened By King

WEMBLEY, ENGLAND, April 23.—
By the Associated Press.—The
British Empire Exhibition covering 220
acres of ground and including displays
from every part of the British common-
wealth, was opened today by King
George to continue until September, as
the means of thousands from overseas
as well as the millions of the United
Kingdom.
The exhibition was formally turned
over to the king by the Prince of Wales,
president, at a colorful ceremony in
the huge athletic stadium, staged with
all the pageantry which surrounds the
public activities of British royalty.
The address of the king and the
prince, picked up by radio, were heard
by more persons than have ever before
listened at one time to the words of a
British sovereign and his heir apparent.
Hundreds of thousands throughout
the British Isles heard their ruler's
voice for the first time. In London
the speakers had been set up in the
Public Square.

Senate Presses On Toward Bonus Vote

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—
(By the Associated Press).—Convening
two hours earlier than usual, the senate
pressed toward a vote today on the
"bonus" bill with each speaker lim-
ited to fifteen minutes.
The principal controversy centered
on the amendment for inclusion in the
bill of a cash option provision offered
by Senator Copeland, Democrat, New
York.

Although drafted by Democratic
members of the finance committee, the
amendment was not submitted by them,
leaders said, because they feared its
adoption would prevent enactment of a
bonus bill. Republican leaders had said
they would vote to sustain a presiden-
tial veto if the bill carried the cash op-
tion proposal but would vote to over-
ride a veto if the insurance plan should
be disapproved by the executive.
The pending bill, reported to the
senate by the finance committee sub-
stantially as passed by the house, would
allow cash payments to veterans not
entitled to more than \$50 in adjusted
service compensation and 20-year en-
dowment insurance policies to others.
The Copeland amendment called for
a cash payment in full to veterans pre-
ferring it to the insurance.

Akron Motorists Show Police How to Drive

AKRON, O., April 23.—(By the As-
sociated Press).—Police traffic officers
were puzzled today over the decrease in
traffic accidents which followed Safety
Director L. D. Carter's experiment of
allowing unrestricted parking for one
week. Carter ordered the experiment
after motorists complained on strict en-
forcement of parking regulations which
resulted in numerous fines.
Carter, however, had an explanation
for the decrease in accidents.
"Put on their honor to observe same
parking rules, the motorists are natu-
rally more careful," he said. "This care-
fulness extends to their driving and a
decrease in accidents is the result."

Rebels Squelched

MEXICO CITY, April 23.—(By the
Associated Press).—The recent suc-
cession of victories by the government
troops and surrenders by rebel leaders,
have advanced the situation so that full
peace in the republic is possible within
two or three weeks, according to Gen-
eral Serrano, secretary of war.
Only a few rebel bands remained scat-
tered over the country, all lacking the
proper materials for warfare, and the
majority of their chiefs have applied
for amnesty, he declared.

GRAND JURY TO PROSECUTE MURDER
YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 23.—(By
the Associated Press).—Prosecutor H.
H. Hull today recalled the Mahoning
county grand jury for Friday to take up
the case of James Avant, negro, who
has confessed, according to police, that
he attacked and killed Mrs. Elizabeth
Stille here April 16.

Air Racers at British Columbia



First pictures to arrive showing Uncle Sam's airplane racers, reaching British Columbia, where they
stopped over. It was after this stop-over that their Alaskan troubles began.

Greenup Co. Postoffice Is Robbed

Special to Times

GREENUP, KY., April 23.—Thieves
last night gained admission to the
post-office at Lond, seven miles from
here, by jimmying a window. They
stole \$100 in cash, \$40 in stamps and
valuable papers belonging to Post-
master J. B. Bentley. He discov-

ered the robbery this morning when
he opened his office, which he oper-
ates in conjunction with a general
store.

Mr. Bentley believes that someone
in his neighborhood is responsible
for the robbery and he signed seven
warrants this morning to search

homes in his neighborhood. Sheriff
Callahan and Deputy Sheriff Tinsley
left this afternoon for Lond to serve
the warrants.

Mr. Bentley is in poor health, hav-
ing just returned from Portsmouth,
where he received medical treatment.

A. C. NEEDLES NEW PRESIDENT OF N. & W.; SUCCEEDS N. D. MAHER; W. J. JENKS IS PROMOTED

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—The
board of directors of the Norfolk
and Western railway today, elected
A. C. Needles, President of the com-
pany to succeed N. D. Maher, who

retires under the company's pension
regulations on May 1.

W. J. Jenks was appointed vice
president in charge of operations to
succeed Mr. Needles.

P. W. Herrman, was appointed
vice president in charge of traffic;
J. E. Crawford was made general
manager, and L. M. Rodgers was
named general auditor, all effective
May 1.

3 Killed; 2 Hurt in N. & W. Wreck

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 23.—
Three persons two of them members
of a Norfolk and Western freight
crew were killed and two other
members of the crew were seriously
injured when two locomotives and
thirteen cars of coal ran away and
wrecked on the North Fork branch
in McDowell county late Tuesday
afternoon.

Those killed were, I. W. Kitis,
conductor; W. R. Dillow, fireman;
and Kyle Hayes, a fireman for the
Appalachian Power Company, Engi-
neer A. A. Porterfield and Fireman

C. Brewer were among those in-
jured.

Other members of the train crew
escaped injury but belief was ex-
pressed by local officials, of the
railroad today that probably several
trespassers had been buried be-
neath the wreckage. Less than two
miles from where the train
wrecked railroad officials were in-
formed that a large number of
young boys had been seen aboard
the train. Some whose identity was
known had not been accounted for,
according to latest reports received

here today from the scene of the
wreck.

The North Fork of the Norfolk
and Western is built on a very
heavy grade but officials have not
yet determined the cause of the run-
away. The train was making about
thirty miles an hour when rounding
a 12 degree curve, both engines
left the rails and turned over. Thir-
teen loaded coal cars were wrecked
and piled up in the narrow hollow
through which the branch is con-
structed. This branch serves several
coal operations in the Pocahontas
field.

Ironton Cars Are Halted By Officers

IRONTON, April 23.—A number of
the members of Ironton Lodge K. of
P. went to Portsmouth Monday
night to attend a big meeting held
by the Knights of Pythias in that
city. The visitors from Ironton were
royally entertained in Portsmouth
and they were also given some en-
tertainment that was not looked
for or welcomed, while they were
returning to Ironton between 12
and 1 o'clock Tuesday morning. The
front boys made the trip in auto-
mobiles and some of them were
given good scares when their cars
were flagged down by two men with
flashlights. One of the men wore a
badge and said he was a highway
patrolman looking for a particular

car. One of the Ironton cars refused
to stop at his command and he fired
several shots at the car as the driv-
er stepped on the gas and sped
away. One of the men in this car
had \$500 in his pocket and he was
certain the man was a highway rob-
ber. Other cars stopped when ordered
to do so, but they were permitted to
go on when the man took the num-
ber of the car. He made no attempt
to rob the persons in the cars, but
an occupant of the cars said the
man's gun looked as big as a cannon.

Of All Things!

"You've got to hand it to me,"
said the highwayman, as he held
up his victim.

All Saints' Building Fund Given Boost

The building fund of All Saints
Episcopal church was augmented by
the fine offering of Easter, according
to Rev. Harold G. Holt, rector.

The offerings totaled \$245. In it-
self a fine record. A large proportion
of this money will go to the building
fund, it was said last night. The
children's mite box offerings totaled
\$150.

Counteract Your Tendency toward Acid Mouth . . .

By letting WRIGLEY'S give you
relief, lasting joy and benefit.

It removes the food particles that
lodge in the teeth and cause fer-
mentation and decay. It WASHES
the mouth and teeth, counteracting
the acidity that does so much damage.

WRIGLEY'S

after every meal

is prescribed by dentists and doctors.
Says one dentist: "If chewing gum is used
regularly it will result in a noticeable
benefit to the teeth." Get your WRIGLEY
benefit today.

NOTE:

"Tests show that
the glands of the
mouth are twenty
times more active
when we chew.
The fluid from
these glands neu-
tralizes the acid in
the mouth and
washes it away."
—From a
College Professor.



— MAKE IT THE CHILDREN'S TREAT —

Peacock Orchestra Coming to Columbia

The Royal Peacock Orchestra, one
of the best on the road today, will
open a week's engagement at the
Columbia theatre next Monday. It
comprises 12 musicians, who play 22
different musical instruments. Harry
Bason, the pianist, is a real artist,
and was recently here with the Pasi-
denians.

McCray Being Tried In Federal Court

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 23.—
(By the Associated Press).—Testimony
regarding alleged widespread agita-
tions carried on by Governor McCray
with banks in efforts to discount cattle
paper and obtain loans on his personal
notes was continued today by govern-

ment witnesses at the trial of the ex-
ecutive in federal court on a charge of
using the mails in furtherance of a
scheme to defraud.

Exchange Club Meets Tonight

Various matters will be discussed
by members of the Exchange Club at
their weekly meeting tonight at the
Mary Louise.

After Star Cars

W. J. Hays, head of the Hays
Motor company is in London, Mich.
looking after the shipment of 20
new Star cars to Portsmouth.

I invite every man and woman in Portsmouth and vicinity

NOTE: Mr. M. T. O'Connor is the well known Dreco Health Expert

I have been sent to this city by the Dreco Laboratory of Baltimore to present every weak,
run-down, nervous, sick and suffering Citizen a liberal sized, free sample bottle of the new
herbal remedy "Dreco."

ASK FOR ME AT STEWART'S CUT RATE DRUG STORE

This is an invitation you can't
afford to ignore. I'll tell you why.
I am going to give you a free bottle
of medicine that will tone you up
and put an end to all chances of in-
digestion, rheumatism and consti-
pation, catarrh and kindred ills.

The medicine of which William
Branson said, "It is the only medi-
cine that eased my stomach and
stopped the gas, wiped away stom-
ach troubles and put strength and
vitality into my blood."

A highly efficient stomach medi-
cine made from roots, herbs, barks,
leaves and a few other good things
for the nerves, blood, stomach, kid-
neys and bowels.

You may be starving your blood
in the midst of plenty. It isn't how
much you eat that counts, but it's
how you digest the food you eat.

You cannot get clean out of wa-
ter without fire, you can't get brain
power, nerve force, and red blood
corpuscles out of food without di-
gestion.

Thousands lack sufficient vital
force and don't know why. They
think they need a tonic, a vacation
or a change of scenery, but they
don't. It's old digestion that the
matter with them and six days of

my Dreco will prove it. They don't
get the strength out of their food.
It's like running corn through a mill
with the rollers too wide apart, the
corn goes through, but the mill
doesn't grind.

DON'T THINK YOU MUST HAVE A PAIN TO HAVE INDIGESTION

Lack of flesh, too much fat, pim-
ples, blotches, sallow complexion,
lack of nerve force, impoverished
blood, sleeplessness, headaches, back-
ache, sideaches, weak brain power,
dizzy spells, spots floating before
the eyes, may all be due to faulty
digestive process either in the stom-
ach or the bowels.

Take my Dreco with other food
for a week and find out how your
digestive organs are working. If
the Dreco helps you greatly, gives
you more force, strength and brain
power, you may set it down that
your liver and bowels were not doing
their duty.

Only yesterday your head may
have felt dull and heavy, you had
the "blues" were cross, nervous or
irritable, everything seemed to go
wrong and you couldn't tell why.

It's ten to one it was old dyspepsia,
slightly getting in his work, not enough
to cause you pain, but just enough to

dull your brain, rob you of your
vitality, upset your liver and deplete
your nerve force. Maybe you don't
think so, but try a bottle of Dreco
and see if it doesn't change "blues"
to a bright cherry red, make the old
world laugh in a merry glee, and put
new vigor and vim into your life
again.

TEST THIS MEDICINE FREE

Mr. Sufferer, have you ever heard
of the wonderful medicine that talks,
that really tells you itself what it
can do, that's Dreco. Five minutes
after you take it the medicine be-
gins to unfold its virtues, and it will,
by actual demonstration, unfold to
you more in regard to its merits in
ten minutes than I could probably
make you believe if I wrote ten
books as large as the dictionary.

Lewis A. Todd, the traveling sales-
man, had stomach trouble so bad he
practically had to live on liquid
foods. He couldn't even eat veg-
etables without suffering terrible
pains. He took two bottles of Dreco
and can now eat anything he wants
without distress whatever—sounds
like a miracle? Well, we have Mr.
Todd's own signed statement to
that effect.

C. L. Matlock, the B. & O. con-
ductor, says he had rheumatism so

bad he had to use a cane to get
around at all. On his fourth bottle
of Dreco he says, "I am now feeling
fine, have thrown away my cane."
These are only two out of hundreds,
yes, thousands.

"Words cannot tell how glad we
are for Dreco," declares Mrs. Treasa
Copley. "The first bottle fixed me
up," says Walter F. Dixon. "I am
a changed man now," states Rev.
Joseph L. Butler.

You may know some of these
people, or somebody who knows
them. I'll send you their full ad-
dresses if you want them, so that
you can find out about my Dreco,
and the wonders it has wrought.

Probably you are now thinking
whether all this can be true; stop
in. Come at once to the drug store
named below and ask for the Dreco
man; I will give you absolutely free,
a good size bottle of Dreco. This
offer is open to every man and wo-
man in this city and vicinity. There
are no ifs, ands or buts attached to it
except that you come early before
the generous supply of free bottles
has been used. You don't have to
buy anything if you don't want to,
all I ask is that you step in and
test this wonderful medicine and see
for yourself what it can do for you.
So please come as early as possible.

Ask for me at STEWART'S CUT RATE DRUG STORE

I Can Help You—Sample Bottles Given FREE.

Are Portsmouth Girls Prettier Than Hollywood's Beauties?

They say the prettiest girls in the world are in this production; are they prettier than the girls who live in Portsmouth? Come And See

Eastland Theatre This Week

B. P. SCHULBERG presents a GASNIER production

MAYTIME

For Six Years A Great Stage Success. — Now a Marvelous Motion Picture



Maytime was Love-time when Mother was a girl.

Maytime means a Gaytime in today's mad whirl.



PREPARED PICTURES

with Harrison Ford, Ethel Shannon, William Norris, Clara Bow, and Hollywood's Twelve Most Beautiful Girls.

INCLUDING
"Fiddlin' Fool"
Comedy

—And—
Waldo, The Acrobatic Clown

No Advance In Prices

HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

by RUDY AYRES
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RESIN HERE TODAY

Dolly, a governess, is in love with her poor suitor, Robert Durham. When Nigel Bretherton, who has money, falls in love with her, Dolly gives up Robert and marries Nigel. The marriage proves an unhappy one.

When war is declared, Nigel is glad to enlist. He leaves Dolly in the care of his friend, Mary Farnival. Dolly goes for a walk and by accident meets Robert Durham. He tells her that he has prospered and that now he has plenty of money.

When word comes that Nigel has been killed in action, Dolly marries Robert in London and sails with him to America. Nigel's older brother, David, calls to see Nigel's widow. He mistakes Mary for Dolly.

HOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
"I came straight to you. I am afraid you must have thought me unkind—unfeeling, if you saw the letter I wrote. I was sorry as soon as it had gone. I came home earlier than I had really intended in the hope of seeing Nigel before he went to France. If he got my letter—"

"It was sent here; he never saw it."

"I am glad." The silence fell again; the man's eyes were wandering round the room. It was comfortable and tastefully furnished, but he thought of the Red Grange—his lofty rooms, and priceless pictures, and thought that his brother must have loved this woman very much to be content.

Mary's eyes followed the direction of his gaze; it had fallen on the little table where lay the few possessions of Nigel's that had been sent home after he died.

She indicated them with a hand that trembled.

"A friend of his sent those back after—afterwards. There is a letter for you amongst them—we have not opened it. It was written the night before he was killed."

Bretherton walked over to the table, and stood looking down at the little collection. They might have belonged to any man—the pipe, the shabby tobacco pouch, the little bundle of letters. David Bretherton put out his hand and picked up a little gold locket lying conspicuously there.

"This was our mother's," he said.

"Yes," said Mary dully. She could remember in happier days when Nigel had worn it from his watch-chain; she had not touched it since it came home—she had not been able to bring herself to move any of the little things since Dolly had put them there.

David was fingering the little locket. It was flat, and engraved with a worn monogram.

He touched the little spring, and the case opened.

Mary was watching him listlessly.

CHAPTER VII—The Photograph.

After a moment he turned, and looked across at her.

"This is your photograph in here," he said.

She started, a wave of color rushed to her pale face.

"My photograph? Oh, no—"

He came across to where she stood. He held the little trinket to her, open on the palm of his hand.

"I am sure this is your photograph," he said again.

She bent toward him, wholly doubting, then she gave a little stifled cry.

Her own face looked back at her in a miniature from the gold case; an old photograph which she had given to Nigel long ago—so long ago that she had forgotten it until this moment when she saw it so unexpectedly.

David shut the case with a little snap.

"It is yours," he said.

"Yes—I had forgotten. I gave it to him so long ago."

There were tears in her voice, and tears in her heart as she thought of that long ago—before he was married—when she had hoped—when she had believed that perhaps some day—She checked her thoughts with a bitter sigh. How long had he carried that photograph with him? She was afraid to try and answer the question. She wondered dully if Dolly had seen it, and if so, what had she thought.

David was watching her.

"You have known my brother some time?" he asked.

"Nearly six years."

He turned away. He went back to the little table and laid down the locket gently, as if it were something he were afraid of hurting.

Across the room Mary watched him. He was not the least like his brother, she told herself achingly; and yet—she was fiercely glad that he was not. She could not have borne it had he looked at her with Nigel's eyes, smiled at her with Nigel's lips.

This man was taller, thinner, more delicate looking; his hair was brown, too. Nigel's had been fair, with a boyish tinge in it; this man's was straight, more manly, perhaps, more reliable; she realized this vaguely, even while she resented it.

"You will not stay on here, of course," he said after a moment.

Mary started.

"Hired in this flat do you mean?"

"Yes. You are young—you cannot live alone."

"I lived alone till I came here," she half-smiled. "I am not very young."

She told him, with a touch of whimsicality.

His grave eyes searched her face.

"You cannot live alone—you would need yourself to die."

She felt the tears rising. She turned her face away.

He came back to the table. "You said that there was a letter for me—from Nigel."

"It is—with the papers there."

"May I take it?" he asked.

"Please."

She heard the rustling of the scrappy sheets of paper in his hands. It seemed a long time before he spoke again.

"You have not read this?"

"No."

"Oh, no."

He made no comment. He put the letter into the breast pocket of his coat. There was a grin line about his mouth.

She watched him disinterestedly. For the first time she noticed how wet his coat was about the shoulders. She rose hurriedly.

"You are wet through; please take off your coat. I ought to have asked

you before. And can't I offer you anything—some coffee, some wine?"

He shook his head. "I had dinner before I came, and I must be getting on. I want to go down home tonight."

Her face lit up sensitively.

"To the Red Grange?"

"Yes. Have you been there?"

"Once."

"It is a fine old place. It has been let since I went abroad, you know, but the lease was up last month. I shall live there myself now."

"Yes." He was buttoning his coat.

"If there is anything I can do for you—" he began hesitatingly. "I hope you will remember that I am Nigel's brother. If you are needing money—"

She looked surprised.

"Thank you; I have all I want. But there is this flat and the furniture; I don't know what to do with it."

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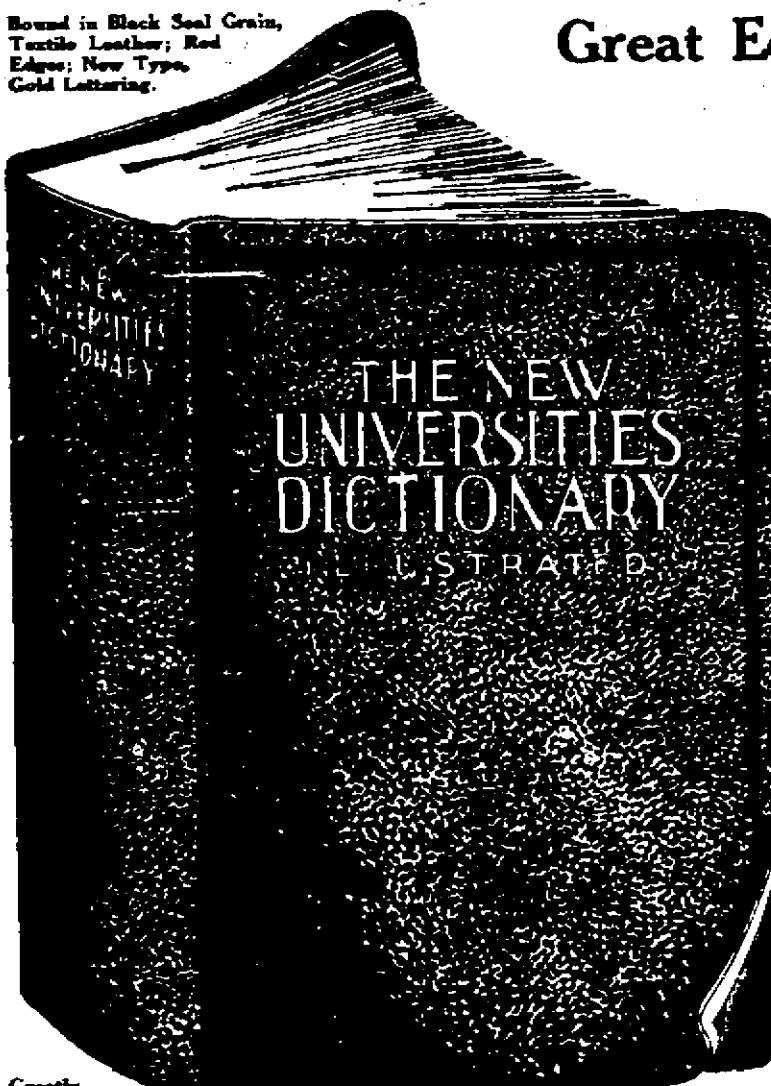
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Riverman Dies

IRONTON, April 23.—Word has been received from New Richmond of the death there of "Nick" Southern, aged about 60, after an illness of pneumonia. He was for years prior to opening of the Ironton-Russell bridge, pilot of a local ferry, and has served as relief man for one of the Portsmouth ferries. He is well remembered by river men of both cities.

We top them all. Greene's. Advertisement-14

AFTER GAMES

The Industrial Stars have gone through their last practice, and report themselves ready to open their season with a loud bang next Sunday. The Stars are anxious to book games with fast teams anywhere within 50 miles of the Peerless City, and look to Lucasville, Beaver, Rome, Vanceburg, Chillicothe, Oak Hill and Ironton to furnish part of their opponents of the season. Any manager wishing to hook up with this outfit can call 2349-K or write Ray Keyser at 1503 Scioto Trail.



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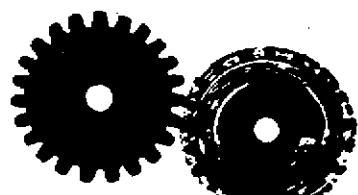
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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly—Will you please tell us the names of the senators and representatives of the United States?

SCHOOL GIRLS.
There are too many senators and representatives to name them here, but if you will come down to the office I shall be glad to let you copy them off. I should think, however, the number would be sufficient without having their names. There are two senators for every one of the forty-eight states, making 96 senators, and four hundred and thirty-five representatives.

Dear Dolly—I am a girl of 15 and my parents are dead and I want some of your good advice. Dolly I would like to join a circus, and I want to know if I would have to learn how to walk a tight rope, swing on the trapeze and do other things before they would take me. Dolly, could I learn after I get there? Dolly, do I have to be a certain age before I can get in? I am not very pretty, but I am not bad looking at all. Dolly, when the next circus comes to town would it be a good idea to go and ask them if I could join? Dolly, where can you buy those little glass beads as I want to get enough to trim a dress.

M. B.
You can't become an equilibrist without practicing, and the only way you can learn how to walk a tight rope is to get yourself a little parasol and start walking one. Better start on the ground and work up, instead of starting ten feet in the air and falling down. You might be able to get in with a circus if your guardian would consent to let you go, but I

hope they will keep you at home until you are of age. You can buy little glass beads at the local department stores.

Dear Dolly—I live in Jackson county and there is no hospital here and I would like to know if I could go to a hospital in any other county without paying very much. I have had three operations and am still sick and need another operation, and I haven't any money to pay for it. Now Dolly, if you know of any place I could go, please let me know.

JACKSON READER.
All hospitals do a certain amount of charity work, and if you can't afford to pay, I don't think any reputable physician would refuse to treat you or even operate upon you. However, I think the surgeon who started the job should finish it, even if he doesn't get a cent for it. There are good hospitals in Portsmouth, Ironton and Columbus, and you might have your physician see if he can't get you into one of them. If you have no relatives who can help you, perhaps your church, your county or city will be glad to do so. If not, you may get attention for "sweet charity's sake."

Dear Dolly—I have a man in this city but he does not treat me right. He used to give me money to go to shows and other places, but he does not want to go with me like he used to. He used to take me out and spend four and five dollars on me in the afternoon and evening and now he claims that he cannot get off in the afternoons any more. Dolly, I have

another man now and I would like to know if it would be a right to take up with him. He can give me attention in the afternoons, but he is beginning to back-side and tighten up, and tells me he doesn't make very much any more. Dolly, he has asked me to come to his house to see him. What would you advise me to do?

WARRIED WOMAN.
I would advise you to get busy and do something worth while, instead of depending on the trail of men and spending their hard-earned money. You should be ashamed of yourself to say the least.

Dear Dolly—I am coming back to you again to see if something can't be done to prevent people from throwing their garbage in the streets? When there is an ordinance saying people should have closed garbage cans, why aren't they made to use closed cans. Now that the fly season is coming on, I think this matter should be looked into. Dolly, there are people living in my neighborhood who dump their garbage right out in the middle of the street and they never pretend to put it in a can or receptacle. They live in a respectable neighborhood where other people try to keep their premises clean. I think they should live close to the garbage dump when they like it so well. Dolly, you can't report these people to, as I am bound and determined that they shall quit filthiness on an otherwise perfectly clean alley.

INDIGNANT CITIZEN.
You might notify the city service department and see what they can do about it.



MRS. NELL VERMILLION, WHEELING, W. VA.

"I feel more cheerful and contented and am in better physical condition than I have been for the past year," recently declared Mrs. Nell Vermillion, of 1047 Main street, Wheeling, W. Va., to the Ka-dik expert.

Mrs. Vermillion is employed as waitress at Brunhans' Eating House in Wheeling and is well-known there. She further said:

"I was in a weak, debilitated condition; my nerves were all unstrung; could not eat and lost weight. I was very restless at night and got up tired and exhausted in the morning. I was constipated and totally unfit to work, although I kept on my feet. After taking Ka-dik for the past three or four weeks I have noticed a remarkable improvement in my condition. I have a good appetite and never miss a meal; I am no longer nervous and have gained several pounds of weight. When I go to bed I don't wake up till morning. I am more cheerful and contented and feel entirely well in every respect."

Quite a number of my friends have remarked about the improvement in my condition. "I can truthfully state that Ka-dik has made me feel like a new woman and I am glad to recommend this wonderful remedy to all my friends."

Ka-dik can be obtained in Portsmouth at Richter & Streich Drug Store.—Advertisement.

The White Shrine Club will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Carrie Edgington, 2702 Vinton avenue, with Mrs. E. W. Smith and Mrs. Albert Timme as assisting hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crawford and son, Richard, and Miss Helen Weaver of Middletown have returned after a week-end visit with local relatives and friends.

Mr. Simon Labold and daughter, Miss Louise Labold, who have been enjoying an extended trip to the West Indies and through Florida, will arrive home Monday.

The meeting of the Sorosis Club, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. H. H. Anderson, 1612 Sixth street tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lykens of 1609 High street have returned from a delightful visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kinney and Mrs. Julia Lykens of Burlington, Ky.

Miss Bertha Russell and Misses Ethel and Mildred Lykens of 1006 High street have returned from a few days' visit with Miss Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell of Vincennes, Ky.

Mrs. W. J. Duncan of South Portsmouth left Tuesday for Charleston, W. Va., where she will visit for two weeks with friends and relatives. She made the trip via motor.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mcabe, of 2023 Gallia street, have returned after a pleasant week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas York of Vancleville, Ky.

A wedding took place last afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Ahleson, near the public landing, it being that of Mrs. Jerome Robinson, formerly of this city, who before her first marriage was Miss Ella Compton of Kewitt, West Virginia, and Charles Watkins, an engineer on the N. & W. railroad. The couple were accompanied by the groom's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Watkins. The bride, who is an attractive woman, was attired in a blue costume with hat, gloves and shoes of a corresponding shade. They returned to Portsmouth in their handsome Lincoln and will reside there. The bride had been living there, but had previously lived at Russell, where she is said to own valuable property.

Rev. A. T. Kessler performed the impressive ceremony.—Cincinnati Independent.

Miss Lillian Connet has returned to her home in Columbus after a visit with her uncle, Mr. J. T. Swearingen, of Seventh street.

C. E. Martin Jr., of Cincinnati, spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

After a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Goodman of Fourth street, Mrs. Leo Diehl (Anna C. Goodman) will return tomorrow to her home in Hamilton.

Mrs. S. Coles Peckles and sons Robert and John, of Ashland, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Salmon of Monrovia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chappell have returned to their home at Zanesville, after a week end visit with their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Chappell of Jackson Avenue.

The members of the Liberty Class of Manly M. E. Church, will serve a luncheon at the church, Thursday from 11:00 to 2:00 o'clock. The menu will include roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, slaw, hot rolls, pie and coffee.

The members of Group 8 of the Trinity Ladies Aid Society will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Ray Searies, 1543 Fifth street, as hostess.

GOOD MANNERS

Passing In Front



In passing in front of people who are seated in a theater, always face the stage and press as close to the backs of the seats as you are facing as you can.

Mrs. Maurice Strayer of Second street, received the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club, yesterday for a delightful meeting. Luncheon followed cards at the small tables. Mrs. James Yelley will be the hostess of the next meeting in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dean and family and Mrs. Don's mother, Mrs. Roselle Habbitt, spent the week end with Mr. Dean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Dean at Wilmington.

Mrs. Mary E. Claxton and daughter, Mrs. Harold Clayton of Robinson Avenue, spent the week end in Cincinnati.

Mrs. John Seth of Summit street, is home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnson of Cincinnati.

Miss Dorothy Lillick who attends St. Teresa's College at Winona, Minnesota, is visiting this week with a school friend, Miss Margaret O'Malley, at her home, Boone, Iowa.

Miss Columbia Glockner and Miss Madlyn Glockner of Sixth street, spent the week end in Columbus.

Mrs. Henry Eccles, director of the Girl Scouts of this city, has gone to Chicago, Ill., to attend a two weeks' conference of Girl Scouts.

The members of the Children's Mission Band of Disciples M. E. church will meet Saturday afternoon at the church. The children are asked to bring their milk-boxes to this meeting.

Miss Gertrude Moutavon has returned to Columbus after a week-end visit with relatives.

Miss Ruth Cook of the office of Moulton & Deader, attorneys, is ill with pneumonia at her home on the West Side.

Mrs. J. S. Thomas of Waller street, arrived home today from Washington, D. C., where she attended the National Congress of the D. A. R., as a representative from Joseph Spencer Chapter, D. A. R.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parkinson and son, Stanley, have returned to their home in Ada, after a visit with relatives here. Mr. Parkinson will resume his studies at Ohio Northern where he is a student.

Miss Myrtle Savely has returned to Cincinnati after a visit over the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Earl Clark Jr., and children, Bobbie and Jane, have returned to their home in Steubenville, after a visit with local relatives over Easter.

Miss Bernadine Streiber of Front street entertained Monday evening, a group of friends as a post-nuptial compliment to Mrs. Leo Diehl (Anna C. Goodman) of Hamilton. The honoree was presented with a delightful array of miscellaneous gifts, in a pretty yellow and white basket by the hostess's sister, Mary Katherine Streiber. A yellow and white luncheon was served at the conclusion of the delightful evening to the following guests: Mrs. William Dadoosky of Bluefield, W. Va., Mrs. R. J. Collins, Misses Agnes Franz, Gladys Crabban, Elizabeth Orlett, Genevieve Thomas, Margaret Vetter, Clara Genesbacher, Emma Genesbacher, the honor-guest and the hostess.

Miss Alice Kild has returned to Columbus after a week-end visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rapp of Galena Pike, entertained with a family dinner Easter Sunday, bringing together their children and grand children, including Mr. and Mrs. John Rapp of Dry Run, Mr. and Mrs. William Rapp and sons Pearl and Henry of Galena Pike, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rapp of Scioto Trail and their children, Gwendolyn, Howard and Kathryn, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Rapp and children, Mendel, Bernard and Sarah Kathryn, of Gallia street, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rapp and son Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook and daughter Mary Elizabeth of City View, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rapp of Summit Lawn.

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Mrs. Adolph Goodman was an able hostess Tuesday afternoon when she entertained the Matron and Maid club for an afternoon of cards at the Elks' club.

The pretty color scheme of pink and white was carried out effectively in the flowers used to decorate, and in the luncheon served at the conclusion of an interesting series of games.

The guests for the afternoon included Mrs. James R. Dietel, Mrs. Ernest Dietel, and Mrs. Leo Diehl of Hamilton.

Favors for scoring were given to Mrs. James R. Dietel and Mrs. John O. McMahon. The members present were, Mrs. Adolph Glockner, Mrs. A. J. Moot, Mrs. Otto Baumer, Mrs. Isabelle Kleiber, Mrs. Adam Buch, Mrs. J. J. Baumer, Mrs. W. L. Reese, Mrs. Charles Streiber, Mrs. John C. McMahon, Mrs. Nettie Parrell, Miss Mary Augustin and Miss Anna Goodman.

Sunday afternoon about a hundred girls and boys gathered in Ritter Park for an Easter Egg Hunt invited by Mr. Henry Boette and Dr. E. B. Jausman for their little daughters, Dorothy Jane Boette and Lois Jausman of the South Side. Eggs were hidden all over the park and the children were enthusiastic in their hunt. The girl who found the most eggs was given a large chocolate pig and Betty Cox was the winner. The boy was Billie Pritchard and he was given a large chocolate egg.—Huntington Herald-Dispatch.

Little Miss Jausman is a niece of Mrs. J. E. Kenrick of Ninth street.

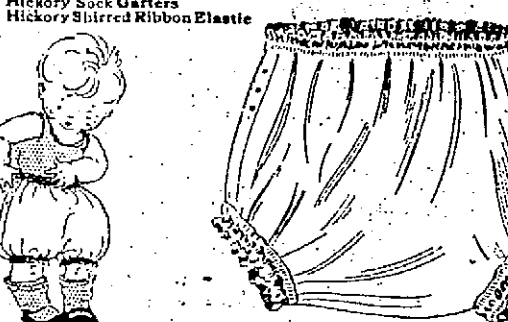
Miss Alice Mathiott and Mr. Eugene Reil of Columbus, Ohio, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Mathiott of 1722 Baird avenue. Miss Mathiott is a teacher in the Pexley High School, Columbus.

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SOCIAL NEWS

This year's greatest meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club is to be held in their rooms at the Mary Louise Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. A meeting more filled with just the things one has been wanting, could not well be imagined. Here one will hear all the news of the National Convention to be held at West Baden, Springs, Indiana, where will be gathered in July from the 21st to the 25th, many of America's greatest and most famous women. In addition to this news, one will get a foretaste of the good things to be received at the big fifth annual convention of the Ohio Federation of Business and Professional Women at Cincinnati May 30-31. The

meeting this Friday evening is the big annual Federation meeting. If you are a member be sure you are there. Don't miss it.

Local relatives and friends of Mr. Howard Roth, of Cincinnati, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Roth of Buena Vista, will be interested in the announcement of his marriage to Miss Anna B. Coleman of Tampa, Florida. The ceremony took place in the Lincoln Park Baptist church, Cincinnati, on Saturday, February 2nd, with the pastor, Rev. Mr. Atwater, officiating. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coleman of Tampa and came to Cincinnati for a seven months' visit. The young couple are now pleasantly located at 830 Bank street, Cincinnati.

Mr. Roth and his bride visited his parents at Buena Vista over the week-end and were guests of honor at a charming dinner, when covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roth, Mr. and Mrs. William Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holland and son Burton and daughter Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. John Roth and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roth.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the B. of R. C. will have their social meeting at Dunn's Hall tomorrow afternoon. The hostesses will be Mrs. J. M. Bratt, Mrs. J. M. Bailey and Mrs. W. C. Eisman.

Miss Pauline Oakes, who has been spending the winter with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Asher Oakes in Winter Haven, Florida, is expected home May 7th. She will come via boat to Baltimore, Md., and take the train from there to Chillicothe.

Sally Ann SAYS

New arrivals in wash frocks at The Fashion include several beautiful new frocks of silver spray in a new material that is corded like a flaxon. It comes in black and white, sheik, green and poudre blue. They are beautifully designed and just the thing for warm weather wear. Among the lines that arrived yesterday was a beautiful black and white combination made in a coat effect. Another attractive dress is a Radier voile in canary yellow. It has dainty linen collars and cuffs. Then there is a beautiful green voile frock with white linen collars and cuffs with bodice and skirt covered with Sheffield embroidery.

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JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES — THE CIR CUS ELEPHANT

"Gee, there's just the kind of a pony I like," shouted Jack, as they came to a spotted black and white one. "Well," smiled Roscoe's trainer, "you got right up on his back and well take a trip around the circus grounds." Jack got a wooden box and stepped from it up onto the pony.

As the graceful little animal started to jog along, Flip ran at his heels and barked. This frightened the pony a bit and he started running faster. Shortly Roscoe's trainer was left behind. "Just pat his neck and he won't run away," snickered the man. "Bring the pony back after while."

Jack managed to hang on to the pony until the animal slowed down. Then he warned Flip not to bark again. It was great sport for the little adventurer to ride from one tent to another. A lot of the circus folks thought Jack was one of the acrobats and they waved to him. (Continued.)

BY ELTON

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Displaying Vivacity All Her Own, In Splendid Voice, Farrar Sings Way Into Hearts Of Audience

In the thoughts of the American people, Geraldine Farrar and "Caravan" are forever inseparably associated and the famous prima donna strengthened the impression as she swept on to the stage at the Columbia last night, crowned in Caravan's own color and with her hair dressed in Spanish fashion.

Portsmouth had read of Farrar, had seen her on the silver screen, listened to her records, and part of the Metropolitan, but this was the first time that Portsmouth people had had the opportunity to sit under the spell of her vivid personality, and in the language of the street, they "ate it up." They didn't want her to go home. Selmon has Portsmouth shows such enthusiasm.

The years that she has been absent from the opera stage have not lessened her popularity, for no one

could possibly forget Farrar. Farrar sheathed in flame-colored velvet, glittering with jewels, Farrar, flitting with her fan of ostrich plumes, Farrar with her gift of sparkling song, Farrar with her flashing smile.

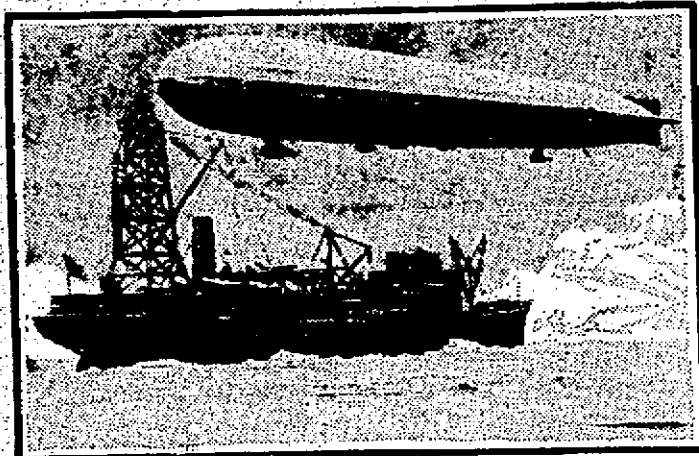
Sheer artistry breathed through every number of her first group, which included songs from Mozart, Franz, Brahms, Schumann and Strauss. The Schumann "Chestnut Tree" Portsmouth had heard earlier in the season, sung by another prima donna of quite opposite type from Miss Farrar, and the comparison was extremely interesting. In the group of French songs, Farrar, the actress, took the stage. "Chanson" by Aubert, sung with fan accompaniment, as the singer now waved her plumes languidly, now drew a trailing vivid front across her smiling lips, and now spread

the plumes as a flaming background for her dark beauty, became a histrionic gem. Following her last group, which included selections from Rachmaninoff, Tchaikovsky and Grieg, the house demanded more. Then Geraldine in Carmen's shawl of black lace, singing the "Habanera," snapping fingers, stamping heels, shrugging shoulders, Farrar, the inimitable Carmen, and the house went wild. Applause swept the theatre in waves. Then Farrar, laughing, blowing kisses, but wearing her evening wrap of gold and flame as an indication that it was time to go. But still the waves of applause. Again, Farrar, this time wrapped close in luxurious sables, Farrar, still laughing, but shrugging her determination to leave. And then just the curtain blowing at the back of the stage as the door in the rear opened to

let her out into the night. It is a tribute to the playing of Joseph Malkin, cellist, that following the star's departure, the audience showed no signs of restlessness but listened eagerly to his playing of Popper's "Hungarian Rhapsody." It was "The Spinning Song" by the same composer that brought a demand for an encore, to which Mr. Malkin acquiesced by playing the Beethoven "Minuet" in G. Claude Goussier's accompaniment was always ample and sympathetic, and his solo work was well received. There are rumors of brilliant plans for Farrar next season. Do they include her return to opera? If such a return means that we in "the provinces" are to be denied the splendor of her presence, we are tempted to hope that Gotham is not to claim her again.

F. L. S.

Now Shenandoah will be Moored



(Copyright, U. S. Navy Photo)

Construction of a mooring mast on the U. S. S. Patoka is being completed at the Norfolk navy yard. The above photo-sketch shows how dirigibles of the Shenandoah type will be moored.

Plan Great Cleveland University
CLEVELAND—Merger of Western Reserve University, Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland School of Education, School of Art, Museum of Art and the Lakeside Maternity and Babies' Hospitals into a great Cleveland University is contemplated, according to Dr. Robert E. Vinson, president of Western Reserve, who announced a campaign for an endowment fund of \$200,000 for the new school will be started soon. Construction of the new school will be under way by October 10, Dr. Vinson said.

Will Meet Thursday

The Parent-Teachers' Club of the Eleventh Street School will meet Thursday, April 24, at 3:30 p. m. Special features are as follows: Playlet by pupils of Grades I and II, supervised by E. Carline Bishop. Talk—Mr. William Hazelbeck, Clerk of Board of Education. Short business session, followed by social hour. All parents and friends are expected to be present.

FIRE WIPES OUT BIG SANDY VILLAGE; LOSS \$500,000

ASHLAND, Ky., April 23.—Blackened, tottering remains of chimneys and a smoldering ruin extending from Beaver Creek on one side to the Big Sandy river on the other was all that remained of the prosperous and thriving town of Ashland, commonly known as Beaver Creek Junction, this morning.

NOW YOU CAN QUICKLY END KIDNEY TROUBLE

A Six-Ounce Bottle of Dr. Carey's Marshroot Prescription 777 for 75 cents.

If you have backache, or puffed eyelids, swollen ankles or clammy hands, it's probably poison settled in your kidneys, and the sooner you get rid of it, the further away from the grave you'll be.

Roots and herbs are best for this purpose as Dr. Carey, for 40 years a practicing physician, well knew.

If your kidneys are making your life miserable the best medicine is none too good. Cut out this notice, take it to any good druggist and see that you get Dr. Carey's Marshroot Prescription 777. It comes in both liquid and tablet form and the price is only 75 cents.—Advertisement.

town, with the exception of one little cluster of residences in an isolated section, was burned level with the ground in the raging monster that rose in the afternoon and finished its costly sweep the following morning when the last house in its path had gone up in a pillar of flame and smoke.

With the town entirely unprotected by any means of stemming the spread of the holocaust, the people stood aside and watched with horror their life savings and the homes they had built, swept away in a few hours of wasteful fury.

At the present time no one would hazard an approximation of the total loss. Some men familiar with the community put it at over \$500,000, while others said that it would run higher. Thirty-two buildings were counted in ruins this morning as the Big Sandy train crept through the wreckage divided by the pathway of rails. Of these twenty-six were estimated as dwellings and the others as large business and wholesale houses.

The origin of the fire is said to have been in the residence of W. G. Malone, a nine-roomed cottage. Malone, who is an aged man and lives alone in the house, is reported to have left the house to go to the soda fountain and had left a fire blazing in the coal grate. Dr. Stevens, a prominent Big Sandy physician, discovered the top of the house blazing and called for help.

Killed By Batted Ball

STUBENVILLE—Three hours after he was struck on the temple by a batted baseball, John Cima, 16, died.

Dies of Hydrophobia

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—Augustus Zuercher, of Lowellville, Ohio, died in a hospital here last night of hydrophobia. He was bitten by a wild dog, April 11, when he rescued a woman from the animal's attacks.

Appetite Has Returned Says Steel Plant Man

Peppen, the new medicine at Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, continues to be the sensation of the age. New proof of its value in relieving stomach, liver and kidney ailments being brought to light every day.

"The demand for Peppen continues to increase every day just like clock work," said Mr. Phil M. Streich, head of the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy today, to a representative of The Portsmouth Times. But for having two extra shipments rushed in by express, we would have sold entirely out before noon last Saturday.

"The Peppen sure did the work for me," said Mr. C. W. Ribble of 203 Chillicothe street. "I am working in The Wheeling Steel Plant and if it hadn't been for this medicine I don't believe I would be on the job today."

"I got where I did not have any ambition or any energy. In the mornings I would be so stiff and sore I could hardly get out of bed. I would have a dull headache. Some times I would go to work without eating any breakfast."

"When I did eat a big meal I knew it meant trouble. The food I ate would lay in my stomach like a lump of lead. Then a gas would form and bloot me up. These attacks would sometimes keep me awake until almost daylight. "I heard so much about this Peppen that everybody is talking about that I went down to Fisher & Streich's and got a bottle. I have been taking Peppen for about a month and I want to say I feel like a new man. It's the finest thing I have ever seen. Now I sleep sound every night. I wake up fresh and rested, ready to eat a good breakfast and go to work. When meal time comes now I am hungry, and when I eat a good meal now I don't have those attacks of gas. I know Peppen is a good medicine."

CAUTION: The genuine Peppen is packed in white and blue cartons and may be obtained in Portsmouth only at Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, Portsmouth, and Kelo Drug Store at New Boston.—Advertisement.

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MARTING'S

Interestieg Money Saving Events This Week at Portsmouth's Leading Store



Special Prices On Needed Spring and Summer Fabrics

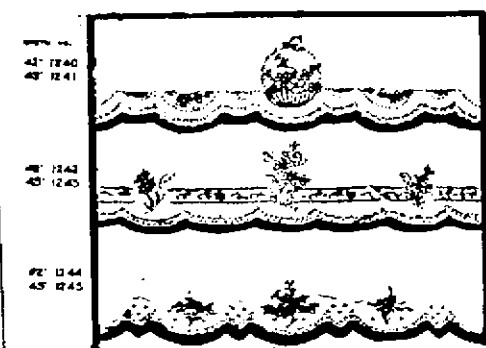
Everything from bright ginghams for frocks to sheer, pastel tinted material for lingerie is included in our yard goods section display. You will find the materials most attractive; and the variety pleasing. You will not lack inspiration when you have any of these lovely materials to work with. When you see them you will be eager to begin sewing your Spring outfit immediately.

You will find it so easy to dress yourself becomingly, if you make your own clothes. You will be able to inject your personality into each garment more readily than can a designer, and at a considerable saving too.

Come in tomorrow and see the great variety of spring and summer fabrics and note the low prices we have marked them for Spring Dress Making Week.

THREE DAY SALE OF ARTNEEDLE WORK

To introduce our newly enlarged ART DEPARTMENT ON THE THIRD FLOOR we are offering some very interesting specials in stamped pieces for THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY.



Stamped Porch Dresses 98c

A large assortment in a wide range of patterns and colors, exceptional quality and many pretty patterns to choose from. This price for three days only.

Stamped Gowns \$1.00

A lovely cross-barred material in pink or honey-dew, in the daintiest design, all ready for the clever needleworker to put the finishing touch.

Stamped Pillow Cases \$1 Each

A large assortment of fine quality pillow cases in 40 and 42 inch tubing, stamped ready to embroider. A wide range of lovely designs to choose from, specially priced for three days only.

Stamped Chemise \$1.00

Completely made and hemstitched ready to embroider, a splendid value at this low price.



Special Prices On Discontinued Articles Crochet Cotton, 5c ball 3 for 10c, 10c

Floss Special 1c skein Large assortment of stamped pieces 25c ea. Marting's Third Floor

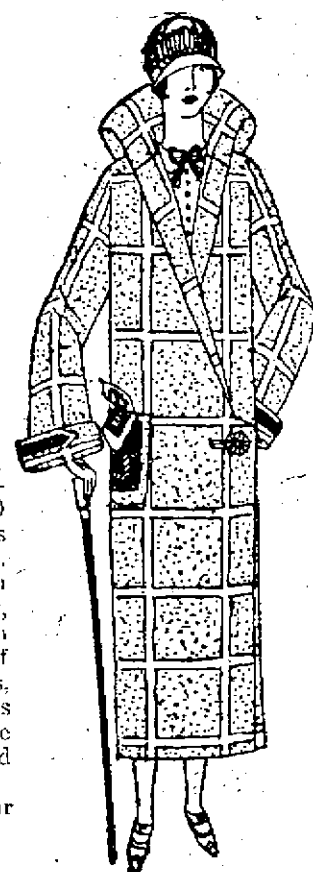
Sale of Sports and Dress Coats \$19.75

Sizes 16 to 48

Twill Cord Coats
Camelhair Coats
Polaire Coats
Charmelane Coats
Large Plaid Coats

Coats that would ordinarily sell for \$25.00 to \$30.00 can be purchased in this sale tomorrow for \$19.75. Plaids, Checks and Plain Colors in Tans, Brown, Grey, Taupe, Navy. Fashioned in the very latest styles of splendid quality fabrics, expertly tailored. This is the coat opportunity of the season, be sure to attend this sale tomorrow.

Marting's Second Floor



For Tomorrow, A Remarkable Sale Of

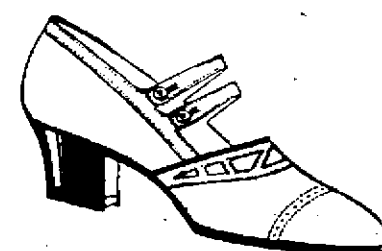
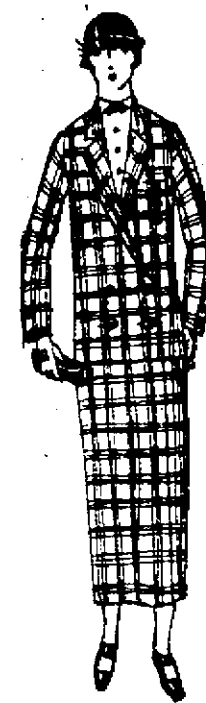
New Spring Suits \$19.75

Sizes 16 to 44

Large Plaid Suits
Small Check Suits
Plain Color Suits

A wonderful collection of newer type suits, in a special sale tomorrow. Suits of fine fabrics, expertly tailored and well made. These suits have been taken from our regular stocks and marked down from \$25.00 and \$27.50 for this special selling tomorrow.

Marting's Second Floor



Women's Two-Strap Pumps

In A Special Sale

\$6.95 \$7.95 \$8.95

A wonderful special in women's two-strap pumps (as illustrated) in Grey Suede, Airedale Suede, and Patent Leather — all have welt soles and military heels.

The Latest New York and Paris Sensation

Chinese Yellow Kid Sandals, specially priced \$7.95

The Spirit of Play

True success is joyous. It is always sunny on the heights. The finest tasks are done in the spirit of play. Form the saving habit. It is work at first, but it soon becomes a pleasure. We have always added 6 per cent dividend twice each year.

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BRINGING UP FATHER



Associated Press Elects Directors

NEW YORK, April 23.—(By the A. P.)—Five directors were elected at the annual meeting of the Associated Press today. Two new directors were chosen to fill vacancies caused by resignations from the board, which has 151 members.

The following were elected for three years: Victor F. Lawson, Chicago, Ill.; Daily News; W. H. Cowley, Spokane, Wash.; Spokanean Review; Frank P. MacLean, Spokane, Wash.; State Journal; E. Landing Bay, St. Louis, Mo.; Globe-Democrat; Frederick I. Thompson, Birmingham, Ala.; Age-Herald.

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. S. McCleary, Sacramento, California, Bee, whose term would have expired next year, J. R. Kinsland, Oakland, California, Tribune, was elected.

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. L. McLean, Philadelphia Bulletin, whose term would have expired in 1926, Robert McLean, Philadelphia Bulletin, was elected.

As a special tribute to Mr. Lawson, the honor was paid to Mr. Lawson on motion to Ralph H. Both of the Saginaw, Mich.; News-Courier.

The first stock of type set by President Harding was presented to the Associated Press by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace on behalf of W. P. Thompson, publisher of the Fairbanks (Alaska) News Miner-Citizen. The type was set in the paper's composing room when President Harding was visiting Alaska shortly before his death.

The following were elected on the advisory board of the Central division: H. J. Powell, Coffeyville, Kans.; Journal, chairman; Mrs. Zell Hart Dealing, Warren, O.; Tribune; E. A. Miller, South Bend, Ind.; Tribune; A. R. Treanor, Saginaw, Mich.; News-Courier.

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We Back With Our Guarantee Each Can of Nevins' Wall Tone, As We Consider It the Best Finish Paint on the Market.

Democrats Hit Revenue Bill In Sizzling Report

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A four fold attack on the revenue bill, sent to the senate by the finance committee, was outlined today in the minority report of the committee filed by Senator Jones, Democrat, New Mexico.

The Democrats, the report showed, will demand the Simons income tax schedule in place of the Mellon rates, modification of the forms of corporation and estate taxes, and opening of tax dispute hearings to the public.

The report characterized the committee bill as "fundamentally defective and unscientific," and directed a tax rate assault on the Mellon income tax rates re-imposed in the measure in lieu of the Longworth compromise schedule adopted by the house.

Reviewing the recent history of federal taxation, the report claimed Democratic attempts to curtail the high war taxes were frustrated by the Republican majority, while when a revision of taxes was ordered in the revenue act of 1921, "the Democratic minority urged greater reductions downward, particularly in the normal tax."

No One Will Believe It PYORRHEA New Discovery Ends It

Tens of thousands who have this loathsome disease will keep right on suffering just because some one told them that pyorrhea is an incurable affliction.

Other thousands who have a mind of their own, are happy and grateful because they tried Pyorhea and are now rid of bleeding, spongy, sore gums forever.

Pyorhea hasn't failed yet—it won't fail with you. If by any chance it should, Fisher & Strich, Worcester, Mass., will refund the purchase price. Ask for a six-ounce bottle and see what two minutes a day will do.—Advertisement.

Troops Ordered From Kentucky Coal Fields

FRANKFORD, Ky., April 23.—Governor W. J. Fields yesterday ordered troops from the Straight Creek Camp of the Liberty Coal and Coke company, National Guardsmen sent there recently following disorders except four guard officers and the crews for two tanks.

The guardsmen were recalled, the executive said, following assurances that order had been restored.

What is Kentucky's most famous drink? See page 5.—Advertisement.

Mention Ex-Cleveland Mayor For Governor

CLEVELAND, O., April 23.—Former Mayor Fred Kohler, Cleveland, who has been mentioned several times as a possible candidate for governor, virtually admitted here today that he expects to make the race.

Although declaring that he is "not a candidate for anything now," he stated that he has "no doubt he could be elected governor if he ran."

How to Relieve Neuritis

If you want genuine, lasting relief from those keen, darting pains of neuritis, you must first restore the diseased nerves to sound, healthy conditions.

Neuritis is nerve inflammation brought on by colds, injuries, bruises, or infectious diseases. It usually centers its attack about the shoulder or nape of the neck, in the forearm, thigh or leg, and sometimes in the small of the back.

For real relief, procure a bottle of Epsa Neuritis Tablets from your druggist and take two tablets before each meal. The result will amaze you. Never in your life have you used anything like these marvelous tablets.

Epsa Neuritis Tablets contain no habit-forming drugs—no narcotics. Perfectly harmless to every one. Price \$3.00. Sold in Portsmouth by Fisher & Strich Pharmacy and all other leading druggists. Rochester, N.Y. Co., Mfrs., San Francisco.—Advertisement.

Bobbed Hair Bandit Loses Legal Battle

NEW YORK, April 23.—Cecilia Cooney, confessed bobbed hair bandit today lost her first legal battle in less than an hour after she was half led, half carried by detectives through dense throngs at the Pennsylvania terminal from the train which brought her from Jacksonville, Fla., where she was captured.

Following close behind, his cap pulled down over his face to escape a battery of newspaper cameras, came her "tail companion" and husband, Edward S. Cooney.

Mrs. Cooney, big eyed and cheerful on the train, had "dolled up" for the home coming. With her husband, she admitted 12 robberies which netted them \$1,100.

Writs of habeas corpus were served on detective escorts and dumbfounded the police. Whatever glimmer of hope it might have kindled in the couple, whose baby died only 11 days ago, was soon dispelled when the supreme court dismissed the writs and remanded both the girl and her husband to custody.

Mrs. Cooney refused the services of a lawyer. Her husband said: "I'm undecided."

Don't Drug Yourself In The Springtime

Father John's Medicine is the Safest Spring Tonic

A great many people really need a tonic in the spring time. They should take a real tonic food such as Father John's Medicine which tones up the system by building new flesh and strength and not by false stimulation or drugging.

Remember Father John's Medicine does not contain any alcohol or dangerous drugs. Over 65 years of success.

Toledo Short On Cash, Plan Drastic Cut To Meet Operating Costs

TOLEDO, O., April 23.—Toledo will be bankrupt by 1926 unless some method of raising money for operating expenses, other than the usual taxes, is found, Mayor Brough and Finance Director Stewart today told the mayor's cabinet and city council.

Placing the city employees, including policemen and firemen on a part-time basis, beginning June 1, approval by the voters in November of a three-cent tax levy to tide the city through 1925, and permanent financial relief by the state legislature to care for the future, are the only things which will prevent bankruptcy by 1926, Mayor Brough said.

Toledo's anticipated net deficit for this year will be \$322,000. Finance Director Stewart said, most of which will be in the safety department.

Faithful Dog Saves Family From Death

OLEAN, N. Y., April 23.—A faithful dog saved Mrs. George Hollamby and her eight children when the family home was destroyed by fire at midnight.

The mother was awakened by the frantic barking of the dog and found her bed clothing afire. She rescued the children, some of whom were slightly burned.

Arizona Extends Rigid Quarantine To All Trains Crossing State

PHOENIX, ARIZ., April 23.—Inspection and disinfection of all railroad passengers from California bound for Arizona points will become effective April 28, as a further safeguard against spread of the foot and mouth disease to Arizona under an executive proclamation issued tonight by Governor Hunt.

Approval was given by the chief executive to the prevailing quarantine against California producers and vehicular traffic, and another appropriation of \$10,000 was declared to be expended in carrying out the terms of the quarantine regulations.

TO PAY DEATH PENALTY

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 23.—Charles Brooks, negro must die in the electric chair for the murder in Perry county of Henry Burns, the state supreme court ruled today in overruling motion for a new trial. Brooks was convicted and sentenced to death. Governor Denard twice granted stay of execution. Date of execution has not been set.

TO GET BACK PAY

COLUMBUS, April 23.—Dr. William P. Bay, former special medical examiner for the state industrial commission, will receive \$382.50 in salary payment for the period July 1 to Aug. 21, 1923, as the result of the state supreme court today. Dr. Bay had been removed by Herman R. Witter, director of the department but was later reinstated on orders of the civil service commission. His office was abolished Aug. 21.

TAKE LIBERAL ATTITUDE

CLEVELAND, O., April 23.—A liberal attitude toward the modernist fundamentalist controversy was endorsed by Cleveland Presbyterian churches at a Presbytery meeting here today.

The controversy is expected to become the chief issue at the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church at Grand Rapids, May 22-29.

Twenty-Four Years Ago

Adjournment of the Ohio legislature marked the passing of Hon. Floyd McCormick from the stage of Scioto county politics, it was predicted. He announced his intention of going to Columbus to practice law.

Conrad Albert, one of the oldest of Portsmouth's German citizens, suffered an attack of heart disease at his home on West Front street, and succumbed in a few minutes. He was born in Germany in 1822, and came to Portsmouth in 1850.

Hezekiah McDaniel, land appraiser for Madison township, resigned his position on account of ill health and Al. Colegrove was named to succeed him.

Oscar Reynolds, of Otway, departed for Mansfield to take a position and hoped to have his family join him there later.

Ray Ford Car While in the city Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson of Dry Run, West Side, bought a Ford touring car.

In Cincinnati

Jay Stevens of Mt. Joy is in Cincinnati on business in the interest of the Zeisler Grain company of Lucasville.

RELEASED TO BEAUMONT
BEAUMONT, TEXAS, April 23.—J. L. Davenport, left handed hunter, formerly with New Haven of the Eastern League, has been released to Beaumont by the Chicago Americans. It was announced here today. Davenport won 29 games last season before he was purchased by the White Sox.

Harden Visitor

James Snook, prominent Harden farmer, was in the city Tuesday on business.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river registered a stage of 21.5 feet and falling slowly in the Portsmouth district Wednesday.

Boat movements—Greenwood departed at 5 a. m. bound for Cincinnati, and Tom Greene passed up at 12:30 today bound for Pomeroy.

We top them all. Greene's. Advertisement.

CHARGE OF "SET UP"

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 23.—Charging that Harry Fay, Louisville would be a "set-up" for Young Stripling, Georgia, boxing sensation, the local boxing commission today refused to grant a permit for their proposed 12-round bout here May 5, and the match was cancelled.

CONSERVATISM

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Is Improving
Mrs. Homer Vaughters of Rush-town, who is a patient in Hempstead hospital, is improving a little each day.

Is In Cincinnati
E. B. Wycoff, manager of the local branch of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, is in Cincinnati on business.

Here On Visit
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McKelvey of Columbus are visiting Portsmouth relatives.

On the Mend
Mrs. Arline Bolton of City View, West Side, is recovering from an attack of tonsillitis.

Is Convalescing
Mrs. Frank Easter, who has been ill at the home of relatives on Front street, is improving.

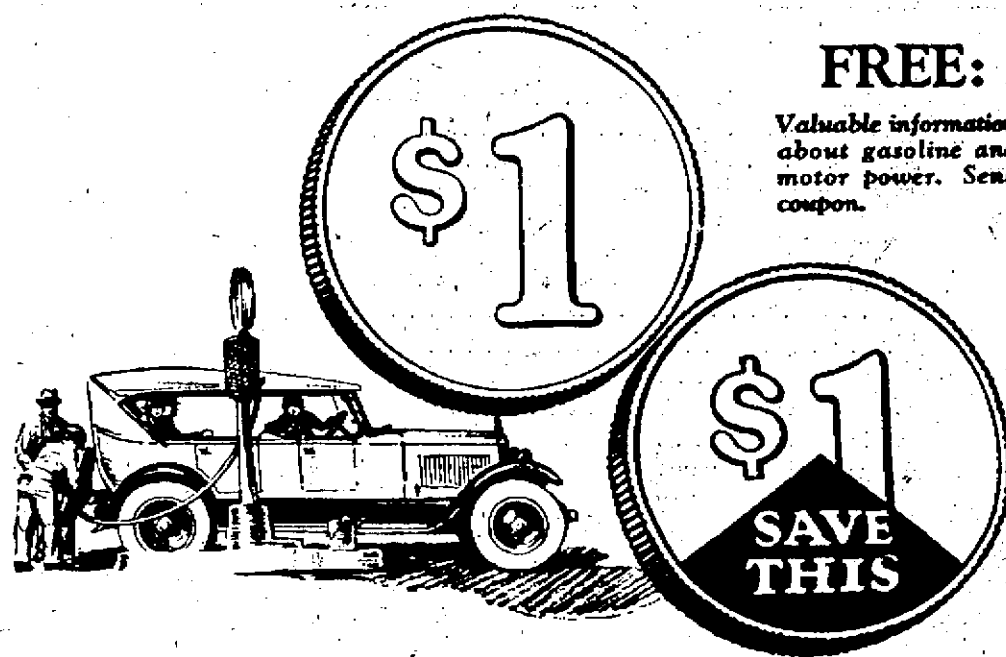
Has Heart Trouble
Samuel Beckman is ill with heart trouble at his home on the West Side.

Here On Business
H. L. Smith of Columbus is in Portsmouth on business and may locate in the Peerless City.

Aching muscles

can be relieved quickly with Sloan's. Apply gently without rubbing. Immediately you feel a comforting glow—the stiffness relaxes—the pain stops. Soon overstrained muscles regain their elasticity and tone. Get a bottle from your druggist today—35 cents. It will not stain.

Sloan's Liniment—kills pain



Two years of tests prove this:

You can get greater power —yet save 30% on gas!

Your motor was built to deliver a lot of power. If you haven't been getting it — blame the gasoline you've been getting.

Now, you can get power—speed — quick starting — lightning pick-up. And you can save 30% of what you've been paying for gasoline yearly.

38 cars tested 2 years

Our engineers have just concluded a 2-year period of tests on 38 different cars. They used PUROL gasoline—and kept accurate records, which prove:

That PUROL gives 3.3% greater mileage; saves 14.2% of the fuel that usually drips down into crank-cases; saves \$2.98 in lubricating oil for this reason; and saves \$10.33 in general repairs through the greater efficiency of lubricating oil that is not diluted.

The average car uses 500 gallons of gas yearly. So the first two savings equal \$17.50 (87½ gallons at 20c). The four items show a total yearly saving of \$30.81—30% of the yearly gasoline bill for the average car!

Because "built" for full power. There's a real reason for the performance of PUROL. And that is that it's refined, or "built" to give fullest efficiency in your motor.

All gasoline is made up of combustible units.

From the first 10% of these units you should get quick starting. From the next 10% — lightning pick-up. From the rest, resistance pulling-power, speed, mileage.

These are precisely the combustible units you get in PUROL. Because it is refined to possess them. We found out what gas should do in a motor. Then produced PUROL to do it. Then made the tests to prove it.

Make a test of your own. Drive for just an hour with PUROL and feel the increased power and flexibility it gives your motor.

Get it at any Pure Oil Service Station, or dealer's. You'll know them by the pumps painted "Pure Oil blue."

You'll find PUROL always uniform. Giving the same efficient service a month or a year from now as it gives today. Make a test.

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—an INDEPENDENT company which has won and is holding success solely by maintaining strictest standards of high quality. PURE OIL COMPANY PRODUCTS are always "HONEST VALUE."

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A FLAT washable wall paint beautifies and satisfies exactly in the degree that it hides the surface underneath and develops the desired color effect with a minimum number of coats.

Devoe Velour Finish brushes out freely, covers perfectly and dries rapidly into a flat, velvety finish without glare, streaks or brush marks. It is easily washed with soap and water, always sanitary and extremely durable.

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icate and effective tints of Devoe Velour Finish you can very easily and inexpensively achieve the utmost beauty in your home.

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Fill out this coupon and present it to us within 30 days. We will give you Free a 40-Cent can of any Devoe Paint and Varnish Product you want, or a reduction of 40 cents on a larger can.

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Double Boilers \$2.19
 Pudding Pans at 45c to \$1.00
 Everything in Wear-Ever at popular prices.

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Self Basting Roasters 98c
 Dish Pans 75c
 Skillets 39c
 Pie Pans 22c
 Sink Strainers 35c
 Water Pitchers 75c
 Percolators 75c

Best Food Choppers \$1.48

MOPS

Self Wringing at 75c and \$1.00
 Regular Mops 48c
 Good Broom 75c

Electric Light Bulbs

1,000 Hour Guarantee, Best Qualities
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 50 Watt 45c
 75 Watt Nitrogen 50c
 100 Watt Nitrogen 59c
 200 Watt Nitrogen \$1.00

China ware, in gold band and Blue Bird assortment, complete stock, 38 piece set for \$16.50

Pyrex Ware

Biscuit Dish \$1.15
 Cake Dish 69c
 Pie Plates 69c
 Tea Pot, 4 cups \$2.79
 Casserole \$1.89
 Small Custards 18c

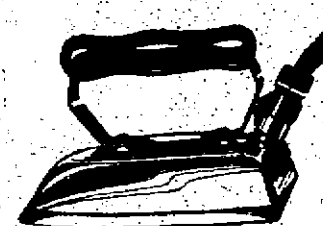
Aluminum Ware at 10c

Specials consisting of dippers, tea strainers, cake turners, berry ladle, tea and coffee balls, salt, pepper and sugar shakers, drinking and measuring cups, cookie cutters, funnels, pudding, pie and stew pans, soap dishes.

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Floor Brush \$1.19
 Furniture Duster 22c
 Bottle Mop 10c
 Bottle Brushes 5c
 Screen Brushes 25c
 Door Mats Special 98c
 Toilet Paper, Hospital silk tissue 10c, 3 rolls for 25c

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5 lb., fully guaranteed, best heating unit and material obtainable, regular \$4.50 iron at \$3.19

Garbage Cans

8 gallon, special 98c
 14 gallon, special \$1.29
 3 gallon galvanized bucket 25c
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 Clothes line, 50 ft. 25c
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 O'Cedar Polish at 23c and 42c
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 Fine Clothes Basket, extra value \$1.00
 Clothes Hampers, fancy at \$1.25, \$1.48 and \$1.75.
 Ma Chong Torchere Lamps, special value at 75c

Iron Wagner Ware

Special, small skillet, 35c value 25c
 Iron Skillet 69c to \$1.89
 Cast Aluminum Skillet 85c
 Corn Stick Moulds 59c
 Iron Griddles 75c
 Aluminum Griddles \$2.19
 Dutch Ovens \$2.48
 Waffle Irons \$1.48 up

Metal Paper and Waste Baskets, fancy 48c
 25 lb. House Scale at 89c

Magnetic Cleaning Cloth 10c

Shopping Baskets at 50c and 69c

Old English Wax 75c
 Old English Floor Waxer \$3.25

Step Ladders

Strong And Safe.

4 ft. at \$1.69
 5 ft. at \$2.19
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Fine Goblet, special, half doz. \$7.00
 12 oz. Ice Tea glasses at half doz. \$1.65

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Ironton Bridge Co. Re-Elect Officers; May Decrease Toll

IRONTON, April 23.—(Daily Times Special.)—Stockholders of the Ironton Bridge Co., held their annual meeting here Tuesday, with 10,505 shares represented. Two changes were made in the directorate, C. Edgerton, cashier of the Iron City Bank, succeeding E. E. Fullerton of Greensburg, and S. W. Booth of this city succeeding Jacob Riddle of Russell. Other directors re-elected are E. R. Adams, George J. Berg, J. P. Blanton, B. S. Culbertson, D. C. Davies, P. F. Gohlman, Charles Horn, A. R. Johnson, V. J. Kennedy, E. J. Merrill, A. H. Mit-

tendorf, W. F. Phlips and J. A. Rogers. No changes were made in the organization of the officers, E. J. Merrill remaining as president, E. S. Culbertson as vice president, and E. R. Adams as secretary-treasurer and manager. Mr. Adams' report showed that during the 12 months ending April 1, 655,500 persons crossed the bridge, and 304,051 vehicles. Revenues of \$123,000 left net earnings of \$86,508.50 of which \$45,753.50 was paid out in dividends. A committee was named today to investigate tolls, with a view to possible decrease.

Combined Chorus to be Heard May 6

The Spring Festival of Music to be presented by the combined choruses of Ironton and Portsmouth will be given Tuesday, May 6, in Ironton, and Wednesday, May 7, in Portsmouth. The two choruses, which combined aggregate more than 100 voices, will present a program of famous mixed chorus numbers and part songs for the men's and women's voices. The soloist for the Ironton concert will be Clyde Knott, baritone; and for the Portsmouth performance Miss Lellie Anderson, soprano, will be the assistant soloist. Miss Doris Moore will be the accompanist for the local concert and Miss Johanna Winkel will be at the piano in Ironton.

Nervous People Are Half Fed

When you know you have nerves, something is wrong. A well-nourished, healthy body should never even know that nerves exist, except help.

CRYING FOR FOOD

And it is almost always a safe bet that your nerves are crying for proper food. Your body is not supplying what is needed for the harmony of health. Chances are that the entanglement you have noticed in nose and throat has spread to the stomach. Then, no matter how much you eat, your system does not get the right nourishment. How can it, with the lining of your stomach inflamed and congested? Because your muscles demand it, for the sensation of feeling, but when your nerves jangle, when you jump at noises, or when you cannot sleep, it is Nature's way of calling for help.

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WENDELLE'S SALTS, AMBITION BRAND—lets the answer. Some of you ladies who read this may have complexion disfigured by liver spots and blemishes. If this is the case, don't worry about it and don't use face lotions. Just go at once to Wurster Bros., and get a large bottle of WENDELLE'S SALTS, AMBITION BRAND, for only sixty cents. It will clear your complexion by helping to drive from your system the poisonous urea acid that is not leaving your liver, stomach and kidneys. A poor, rough, mottled skin isn't due to the sun or weather, but to an urea condition which urea acid usually causes. Go to the root of the trouble. Destroy that and your good looks and health will return.

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Both choruses have been working for several weeks under the direction of Fred Elmer Ende who will conduct both concerts. The chorus concerts come at an appropriate time as May 1-10 has been set as National Music Week, and schools, clubs, and musical societies throughout the country will cooperate in its observance.

The high school glee club, and the Portsmouth chorale will be in charge of the local concert.

Yes, But Rube Is Pitching Just Same

CINCINNATI, April 23.—(Herald Tribune.)—Reds did not know he had a broken finger on his pitching hand until the Nats disclosed the fact yesterday. The right hand has been sore ever since it was struck by a batted ball during the southern training trip.

Since the team came home Benton has pitched four-hit victories over the Detroit Tigers and the Chicago Cubs.

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Held to Grand Jury

IRONTON, O., April 23.—Forest Daubert, Joe Lambert and Clarence Burdum, arrested recently by Sheriff Demont and deputies on a charge of dynamiting an unoccupied house owned by Turner C. Hayes near Dolbostown, were bound over to the grand jury by Squire Rogers of Elizabeth Township Tuesday afternoon at the conclusion of their preliminary hearing on the charges.

Returned to Portsmouth

Is Very Ill. William Harrison of Iron street is very ill with rheumatism.

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Will Draw Plans For Manly Church

Members of the Building Committee of Manly M. E. church, commissioned Architects DeVoss and Donaldson to prepare plans for their new structure, at a meeting last night. Members of the committee met with Rev. P. A. Cross, at the church. Working drawings for the entire structure have already been worked out by DeVoss and Donaldson, it was disclosed after last night's meeting, and pulling for bids will begin soon. Estimated cost of work to be done, is \$130,000. The project calls for construction of a community center building and gymnasium, on the site of the present parsonage, 1111 Clay street. This will be a two story structure, measuring about 60 by 90 feet. It would be first completed, and then used by the congregation while the present church structure at Eleventh and Clay streets, is razed and the new building erected.

Master Plumbers Meet

Sixteen members of the local organization of Master Plumbers met at the Mary Louise rooms last night when able speakers from out of the city brought interesting trade talks. Following a supper at 6:30 the following complied the time given over to the speaking program. John Vogel, president of the National Association of Master Plumbers; Edward Frank, president of the Ohio State Association; M. R. Manley, president of the Cincinnati Association; and William Tillet and Edward Kline, past presidents of the Cincinnati Association.

Tickets On Sale For Moonlight Ride

Tickets have been placed on sale for a moonlight boat ride to be given the evening of May 22 on the steamer George W. Hill under auspices of the Selco Park Committee of the Selco Shoe Company. The steamer is to be used during the day to carry hundreds of employees to the opening of Selco park above Wheelersburg. The moonlight ride will start after the outing crowd is brought home early that evening.

Business Trip. E. O. McCall, Jr., has returned from a business trip to South Bend, Ind.

In Charleston Tonight

Geraldine Farrar and company left today for Charleston, where they will appear in Wheeling, Fairmont and Clarksburg, W. Va., and will be on the road until May 26, according to her manager, Jack Savage.

New Realty Firm

JACKSON, April 23.—A new real estate company to be known as the "Jackson Home Realty Company," has been incorporated under the laws of Ohio, and will engage in the business here. The new firm is located on Main street over the Shermers Music Store.

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The meeting of the Amigas Club planned for this week at the home of Mrs. Henry Revare, Glover street, has been postponed.

Miss Bess Gibbons has returned to her home in Columbus after a few days' visit with local relatives and friends.

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Auto Victims Better

WAVERLY, April 23.—The condition of Mrs. Floyd McLeod and sons James and Donald and daughter Joan and Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Howard, who were taken to Mercy hospital at Co-

Mr. Howard, was badly shaken. Mrs. McLeod's father, James R. Hibbens, drove to Columbus Sunday night, accompanied by his son William. They returned to Waverly Monday.

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The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Manly M. E. Church held a very interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Lockhart of 2023 Seventeenth street. After the devotionals and business a very helpful talk was given by Rev. P. A. Cross, and a reading by Mrs. A. F. Cyfers. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Carl Riddlebarger and Mrs. Emory Rickey in serving an appetizing lunch to the following members:

Mrs. Mary E. Boyles, charter member and one of the most active workers in the organization was honored by Manilla Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah last night when the members successfully staged a birthday anniversary surprise party for her. Several members expressed their intention of attending a state convention in Ashtabula May 13, 14 and 15. All sick members were reported better. Next week the "S" alphabet committee will have charge of the social hour of the weekly session.

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News From Nearby Towns

WELLSTON

Harvey Knox is ill with laryngitis. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McClasky are visiting the latter's parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Levering of New Jersey avenue, and other relatives, have returned to New Boston.

John Call of Goldsboro, and Miss Ocie Campbell of this city were married at the U. B. parsonage. They were accompanied by a merry party. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Campbell of 1334 South Cann. Ave., this city.

William P. Thomas and son, Charles Thomas and wife of this city and David Thomas of Hamden were called to Mason City, W. V., by the death of their relative, Mrs. Eliza Thomas, aged 75, who died Saturday. The funeral will be held at that city. Misses Mabel Townsend, Lucy Andrews, Williams and Irma Welsh have returned to O. U. at Athens.

Delbert Belmont, who has been taking a course in pharmacy at Ada, has arrived home and is at his old post at the Palace drug store.

Helen Gallivan of West Broadway is suffering with a sprained ankle. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Townsend and children motored to Portsmouth recently for a visit.

Mrs. Freda Joseph left for Wheeling, W. V., to make an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Alice Michael of Jackson is visiting her cousin, Miss Marie Joseph of Ohio avenue.

Mr. G. N. Hoder and son are at Columbus. The latter will go to Detroit where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Carracci entertained Wednesday with a bridge supper.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Ogier and Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Tenkies attended a six o'clock dinner at Hamden, Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ogier, Jr., in honor of Mrs. Ogier's birthday anniversary.

McARTHUR

George Lantz was accompanied home from Huntington, W. Va., Friday by his sister, Mrs. Orion Fleisher, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Lantz, for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morgan will soon occupy the **Hawkins** property, recently vacated by Mrs. Etta Hawk.

Among the business visitors here Saturday were Henry Hawkins, of Knox township; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clark, of Locust Grove, and Miss Minnie Perry, of Dundas.

Mrs. Alice Wyckoff had as her guests Saturday, her brother, Newton Waller and family, of Chillicothe.

George Sprague, of Ohio University, Athens, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Sprague.

Serena Chapter No. 125, held their regular meeting Friday.

Miss Edythe Peoples is confined to her home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Otto Sockel, son of Henry Sockel, and Miss Gladys Glendon were united in marriage by Dr. C. B. Taylor at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Glendon, at 12 o'clock Saturday. After a short wedding trip to Columbus, the young couple will make their home here, where the groom has employment at the McArthur brick plant.

Mr. Robert Sparks, Jr., and two sons of Elkview, Ky., arrived here the latter part of the week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yeager. James Morrison, of Mississippi, arrived Friday for a visit with his brother, John Morrison and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Downard, April 16, a son.

Roy Thompson is having a porch built on the front of his residence on South street.

George Hoser was a business visitor at Columbus, Thursday.

JACKSON

David Pickrel, Jr., of Dayton, spent Easter with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Pickrel, Broadway street.

Mrs. Harry Bagley and little son, of Hamden were Jackson visitors the last of the week on account of the death of Miss Laura Dungan, a relative.

Miss Abbie Pierce of Buffalo Hollow is very ill. Her aunt, Mrs. John Vandervort of Columbus and a sister, who is a teacher in Pickaway county, came the middle of the past week to be at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Stark Franches and Miss Maudie Branson of Columbus were week end visitors here.

Miss Anna Merle Long of Detroit, Mich., is visiting with friends.

Miss Faye Shadrach of Cincinnati spent Easter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shadrach on Bridge street.

Mrs. E. G. Chapman, who was in Grant hospital, Columbus, for treatment was brought to her home here on Tuesday.

Little Marion Maloney, who was

Better Wives and Mothers

The emancipation of women as evidenced by the evolution in dress from skirt and blouse to the long sweeping skirts to the sports clothes of the present day has certainly had its effect upon the health of women. With proper attention to diet an exercise a race of better wives and mothers is assured. If, however, ailments develop as evidenced by irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness and irritability, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound may be depended upon to overcome them. Thousands of women testify to its success.—Advertisement.

of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McLaughlin.

Miss Mamie Schmitt of Columbus spent Sunday here the guest of relatives.

Among the college students who spent Easter at home were Marian Willis of Ohio State, Phyllis Kader of Cincinnati, Conservatory of Music, Martha Chelton of St. Mary's of the Springs, and William Gehres, James McLaughlin and Hugh Smith of Ohio State.

Hayward Argabright, who has a position at Dayton motored down to spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Argabright.

S. P. Sigismund, John Middleton and Guy Schussel, of Portsmouth were visitors here over Sunday.

Jesse Denny and Charles Loel, who are employed at Cincinnati spent Sunday at home.

GREENUP

Charles DeBard Taylor, of Lexington, has arrived home for several days with his mother, Mrs. Eunice Taylor.

A marriage license was issued April 17th to Thomas Durham, coal dealer, 60 and Effie Henize, 35, both of Waverly, O.

Loring Wilson, of Logan, W. Va., is here for several days, guest of relatives.

Through his attorneys, Robert Parsons and A. S. Cooper, J. R. Bailey, of Alcorn, has filed suit vs. the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad for \$5000 for the death of his son, J. R. Bailey, Jr., who was killed near Wirtland, September 15th, 1923.

Nicholas Kline, of Lexington, Va., is home for the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Kline.

Mrs. A. S. Cooper is very ill with neuralgia at her home on Main street.

Dr. A. S. Brady reports the birth of a baby daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, of Chinsbranch, Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Tinsley was a guest of Portsmouth relatives Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Julia Duncan, daughters Misses Babe and Nell went to Russell Thursday to attend the birthday dinner for little Phyllis Chinn.

Mrs. Garnet Hardin, of Garrison, Ky., is here at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Cooper, who is very ill.

The high school baseball team which played Vanceburg Friday was defeated 4 to 8.

Grant Fowler, of Ashland, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

The Russell Hardware company, of Russell has filed suit vs. Mrs. Alice Cooper, seeking to recover the sum of \$112 for building material furnished her. S. S. Willis, of Ashland, attorney for plaintiff.

Through attorneys Dysart and Miller, of Ashland, the Brunswick-Balke-Coller Co., of Delaware, have filed suit vs. Carl Thompson and James Boyles of Russell, seeking to recover \$373 balance due on a pool table.

PIKETON

A very pleasant time was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Snyder Sunday, when a number of friends and relatives gathered at the Snyder home to join with the Snyder in celebrating her 44th birthday anniversary. Thirty-four people were present at the celebration, all of whom did justice to a sumptuous birthday dinner served at the noon hour. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Snyder and children, Elmer, Lloyd, Leslie, Minnie, Oscar, Otto, Thomas, Lydia and Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Arnold, strong and children, George, Donald, Ray, Robert, Mary, Claude and Peter, Mrs. Henry Sonner and children, Richard, Reva and Dorothy, Mrs. Mary Snyder and son Brooks and grand-son Richard, Mrs. Jacob Steinhour, Avenelle Borden and Mrs. Earl Steiner and children, Elma and Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Justice and son Perry and daughters Grace and Virginia motored to Russell, Ky., Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dewey and grand-daughter, Janet, of Jasper, were guests at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Seiler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davis and daughter Esther and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Argabright spent Easter Sunday with Sheriff and Mrs. Harry M. Dunham and family of Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Esten Holt and family motored to West Union Saturday and spent the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Elsie Broadess and Miss Dorothy Angove were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas-yr Rice and family of Jackson, Sunday.

Rev. Weaver of Lucasville had charge of the quarterly meeting services at the local Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Comer and Mr. Harry Lobdill motored to Jackson Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. Minnie Justice of Russell, Ky., is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Justice.

Mrs. Margaret Argabright of Waverly and daughter, Mrs. Dave Smith of Dayton, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Snyder Sunday evening.

Miss Emma Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Young of Columbus were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reed over the week-end.

Mrs. Anna Smith of Portsmouth was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Katherine Miles, several days last week.

HAVERHILL

Mrs. Ella Oakes Mathewson, of Charleston, W. Va., visited Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Charles Austin, and other relatives en route to Portsmouth, Ohio.

Among the Ironton shoppers Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peart, all the Frank Boynton and children, Junita, Betty and Chester, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Selby, Rev. and Mrs. D. S. Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Butter.

STANLEY THEATRE

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Wonders of the Sea
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Misses Louise Doty and Jane Oak attended a teachers' meeting held at Wheelersburg, Saturday.

Albert and Alice Ruth Bruhn are spending a week in Ironton as guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Rosalie M. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oakes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin and Oscar Oakes dined Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oakes, of Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Potts and daughter Nevelyn, of South Webster, spent the week-end as guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Griff and family.

Mrs. George Vandervort and children Virginia, Charles and George Williams, of Portsmouth, visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Crickenberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Revay, of Portsmouth, dined Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ault.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burke announce the birth of a baby daughter on Sunday, April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Vandervort, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rose and other relatives.

John Crickenberger, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday as guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Crickenberger.

Orin Griff returned Monday to his studies at Ada, Ohio, after enjoying a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Darby and children, of Ashland, Ky., recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burke.

Mrs. William Bruhn entertained with a family dinner Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. Besides members of the family the guests were Mrs. Ellen Bruhn Crickenberger, of Columbus, and Miss Ida Bruhn.

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

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Mrs. Charles Buckley and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roscoe Buckley, of Linwood, shopped in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Revival services at the Christian church are increasing in interest. This evening Prof. Dunbar, from Mississippi, will have charge of the song services.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Berean Baptist church will hold an all day quilting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Samuel Kurtz, on Fourth street.

The Junior Class of the local High School will present their class play on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week in the High School Auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock. Directed by Miss Charlotte Scofield, the class will present a clever comedy, "Haltback Sandy." The music will be furnished by the High School Orchestra under the direction of Miss Esther Severinghaus.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hall, of South Webster Pike, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schwan, of Swanger Valley.

Mrs. Gus Eitterling, of Waits Station, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hibbs, of Otway, recently.

Kline Aeb, of Portsmouth, has returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Stimmell Jenkins and Charles Aeb, of Waits Station.

Mrs. John Duncan and daughters, Virginia and Magaline, of Chinnoville, spent last week end with relatives at Curves, Ky.

Edio Winters, of Shinnoville, has returned after a visit to relatives here.

Marshall Porter, of Westville, is here this week on business.

Class No. 5, taught by Mrs. William Newman, will meet in the ladies' parlour of the new Christian church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present.

WHEELERSBURG

Mrs. Fred Wade was the dinner guest of her aunt and cousin, H. P. Kibbey and Miss Georgia Kibbey of Rhodes avenue, New Boston, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nichols, of New Boston are moving into their new home on High Ridge which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Rochester Seart, of Columbus, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCurdy, this week.

Choir practice will be held at the Methodist church on Friday evening of this week at 7:30. The following members are requested to be present: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Prior, present; Mr. and Mrs. Fritz, Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy, Mrs. Blair, Miss Lillian Aeb, Dr. and Mrs. K. D. Reicheiderfer, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Montgomery, Mrs. Clyde Deal, Doris Oakes, Mrs. J. B. Lee, Louise Pratchett, Lucille Burke, Barbara Montgomery, Rev. Chas. Busch, and Mrs. Geo. Koch.

A community social and dance will be held tomorrow evening in the big dancing pavilion on the lawn near St. Peter's church on Dogwood Ridge. Journey's Orchestra will furnish a program of delightful music for the dancing and all friends and former patrons of these popular dances are cordially invited to attend. This is the first dance of the season and a large crowd is expected to attend.

NEW BOSTON

Mrs. Frank Armstrong, of 4359 Rhodes avenue, is ill with rheumatism.

Miss Mayme Oltner, of Rhodes avenue, was the guest recently of Miss Alice Dowdy, of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Joel Reynolds, of Rhodes avenue, has recovered from a three week's illness.

Mrs. J. L. Phillips, of Cedar street, who is seriously ill, was reported slightly improved this morning.

Mrs. J. W. Griffin, of Gallia avenue, Mrs. John Covert and children, Harold, Dorothy, Louie and Albert, of Rhodes Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bowling and children.

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Accepts Invitation

President R. S. Grosley, of the Delaware State College for Colored Students, Dover, Delaware, has accepted an invitation to Principal E. M. Gentry of the Eleventh Street School to become a member of the summer school faculty of State College.

Mr. Gentry also received a like invitation from President S. G. Atkins, of The Slater State Normal School, Winston-Salem, N. C. He has accepted the invitation to Delaware State College. He will give courses in Education and Psychology. The school begins the 23rd of June and continues for six weeks.

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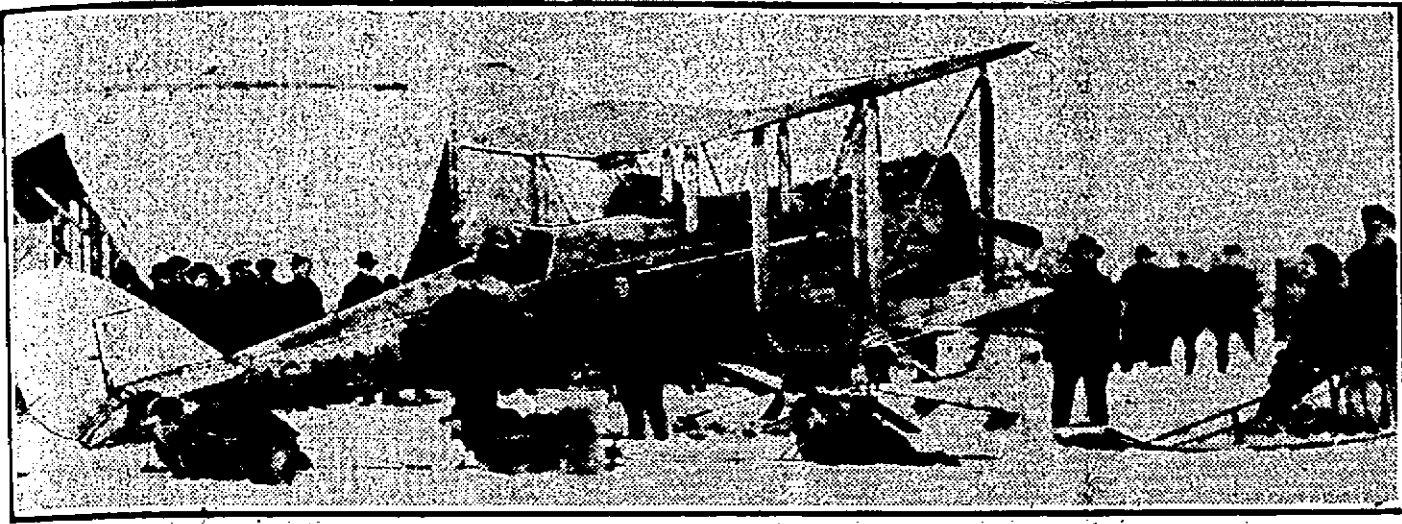
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MAIL MAN COMES OFTENER IN ALASKA NOW



Up in Alaska, Uncle Sam is blazing another new trail. But instead of dogs, he's using flying machines. The mailman is abandoning his muleback trips, for the going's faster and safer by plane. Here is the first picture of the completion of the first air mail flight. Pilot Eielson made it from Fairbanks to McGrath, a distance of 300 miles. Beside his plane stands a dog team ready to carry on where he's left off.

Rev. J. C. White Is New Moderator; Next Meeting Of Presbytery At Decatur

Rev. J. Chester White, of Jackson Presbytery church, was elected moderator of Portsmouth Presbytery when the spring meeting of that organization was held Monday and Tuesday in Jackson. He will have charge when the fall meeting is held at Decatur, Brown county. Decatur was selected as the place for the fall session. Rev. Arthur Griffith, D. D., of Winchester, was moderator in charge of the Monday and Tuesday meeting. Rev. W. H. Gleiser, M. A., Coe and Dr. T. H. Nienmeyer of First church, Rev. G. Monroe Howerton and Charles Hauch of Central church, and John E. Williams and H. A. Wright of Second church represented the Portsmouth Presbyterians at the Jackson meeting.

Charges Disabled Veterans Neglected and Mistreated

CINCINNATI, O., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Charging that disabled veterans at the National Military Home at Dayton, Ohio, are underfed, suffer from lack of proper care, and are harshly disciplined for minor infractions of rules, Raymond A. Lachner, national adjutant of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, telegraphed the Washington office of the disabled American veterans today instructing representatives of that organization to appear before congress and to demand a thorough investigation. Lachner went to Dayton yesterday to inquire into complaints made by Wm. P. Hadley, of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been at the home for three years. Hadley according to Lachner, charged that he had been placed on a plain diet after having been on a special diet for months, because he refused to submit to an operation; that he was removed from the ward for incontinence to a ward occupied by convalescents and that he was forced to walk up and down two flights of stairs to obtain his food.

Bridge Booster Will Meet Monday

The Citizens Committee of Fullerton and South Portsmouth interested in the Ohio river bridge project has called a public meeting for Monday night at seven o'clock at the Fullerton Christian church. All citizens are invited to attend this booster meeting where plans for a bridge over the Ohio will be discussed in detail.

Ford Buys Stage Coach

BALTIMORE, MD., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Henry Ford, the Detroit manufacturer, has added to his collection of relics by the purchase of an ancient stage coach from an innkeeper on Belair Road, Maryland. The vehicle, which traveled the roads of the White Mountains for many years, came into the possession of the innkeeper about six years ago. It was left at his place by a New Hampshire man who was on his way to California, towing the coach behind his automobile. In the vicinity of the inn the coach broke down and F. J. Goettner, the innkeeper, bought it.

Fined, Sent To Jail

Fifty dollars and costs and a jail sentence of thirty days was the punishment meted out to Herb Moore, 21 years old, on a charge of operating an automobile while intoxicated, by Judge Sprague in Municipal court today and he was bound over to the grand jury under \$100 bond on a charge of stealing the machine. Moore is accused of stealing the Ford machine belonging to Grady Daulton, 2136 Walnut street, from Ninth street, where the car had been parked, and later ran the auto into the curb at Front and Madison streets with the result that the vehicle was considerably damaged.

Liquor Under Table Draws \$300 Fine

Under his plea of guilty of possession of liquor unlawfully, J. A. Lewis, 2322 Ninth street, was assessed a fine of \$300 and costs by Judge Sprague in Municipal court Wednesday. Lewis was taken into custody yesterday afternoon when Chief Home Arthur and Patrolmen Bard and Dixon, armed with a search warrant, uncovered eight half pints of moonshine in a search of the defendant's home at the Ninth street address. The illicit liquor was found secreted in the "false top" of a parlor table.

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Operated Upon

Clarence Pierson, of Ninth street submitted to another operation in Hempstead hospital this morning, and was reported getting along as well as could be expected this afternoon, although his condition is considered very serious.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Rosina Cutlip

Death about six o'clock Wednesday morning claimed Mrs. Rosina Cutlip at her home in Wakefield. She had been ill a long time with diabetes. Mrs. Cutlip was the wife of John D. Cutlip and was well known in the Wakefield community. She was 63 years of age. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock from Bailey Chapel, Wakefield, and burial will be in the Bailey Chapel cemetery.

Ezekiel Foreman

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Zornes of Sixth street received a telephone message this morning announcing the death of their nephew, Ezekiel Foreman, who passed away in the S. & O. hospital in Huntington, W. Va. Mr. Foreman was taken ill on February 28 with an attack of influenza, and was removed to the Huntington Hospital on March 30th, where he has been patient ever since. He was about 24 years of age and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Foreman of Black Oak, near Vanceburg, Ky. In addition to his young widow, whom he married in this city a year ago last December, he is survived by his parents and the following brothers and sisters: Arthur and Thos. Foreman of New Boston, Oral Foreman of Columbus, Ohio, Othel and Rose, Bessie and Effie Foreman at home. Mrs. William Moore of Portsmouth.

The remains of Mr. Foreman were taken to his old home, near Vanceburg, this afternoon and the funeral will probably be held Friday morning, announcement of which will be made later.

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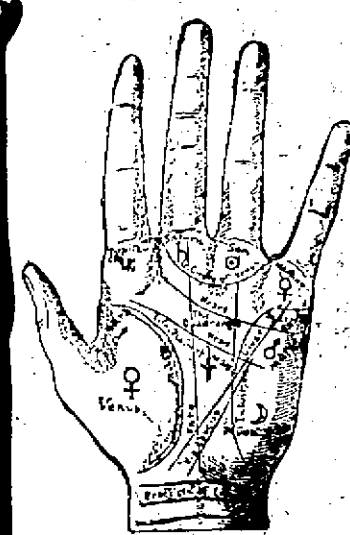
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Quit Kickin' My Dog Around Starts Trouble; Pagilists Are Arrested

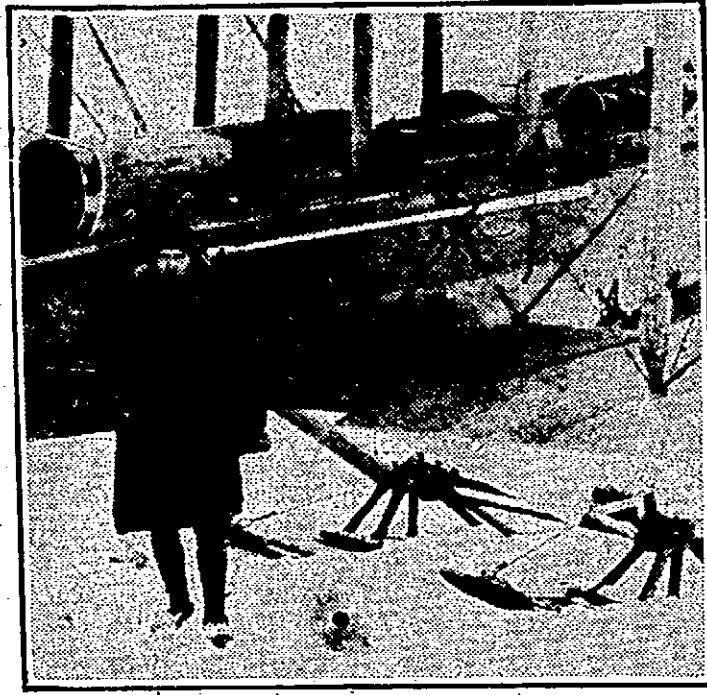
"Shifty" Dando and Eddie Grant, well known local mitt artists, who were arrested for disorderly conduct after staging a bout with Clint Bockock, 24, at Third and Washington streets, yesterday evening, admitted guilt when they appeared in Municipal court Wednesday and Bockock pleaded guilty to intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Gee, But These Song Birds Are Temperamental; Geraldine's Piano in Record Run to the City

What might compare with the famous "record" runs made recently by different automobiles was the trip made last night by the Huntington Transfer Company, in order to bring a piano here from the West Virginia city, for use in the Geraldine Farrar concert. When Miss Farrar's manager and her accompanist arrived in Portsmouth yesterday afternoon at three o'clock they found that the piano which the prima donna is accustomed to use had not arrived. The piano was located in Huntington, and the transfer company brought it from the warehouse to the door of the Columbia theatre in one hour and fifty minutes. A goodly part of the audience was treated to the sight of the big concert grand being carried down the aisle and set up on the platform. In spite of this difficulty and the delay which brought Miss Farrar's train into Portsmouth nearly seven hours later than she anticipated, the program began within 15 minutes of the scheduled time.



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It's cold in Alaska, but Pilot Eielson, who carries the mails for Uncle Sam, doesn't mind it in the least. Here he is getting set to take off on one of his trips.

Sent To Jail For Contempt

Tom Shaw, an employee at the Leet Lumber company plant, was sent to jail for twenty-four hours Wednesday by Judge Thomas for contempt for failing to comply with an order of the court to pay his former wife, Hazelina Shaw-Ratchford, now living in Columbus, weekly payments of \$9 for the support of their three minor children. Shaw claimed that he had been "swamped" by bills left behind by his former wife and explained he had not been advised of the court's order, made a year ago, except by the former wife, who, he declared, he would not believe.

S. S. Kresge Named, Report

NEW YORK, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Friends of Miss Doris Mercer, today refused either to

confirm or deny a report that she had been married to S. S. Kresge, of Decatur, owner of five and ten cent stores.

According to the report, a marriage license was issued here Tuesday. Mr. Kresge's first wife divorced him in January, charging cruelty. They were married in Memphis, in December, 1917. At the time of the divorce proceedings, Mrs. Kresge said she helped start her husband on the road to wealth by working for him as a cashier in his first store in Memphis.

Coolidge Enters W. Va. Primary

CHARLESTON, W. VA., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Formal declaration of President Coolidge's candidacy in the West Virginia April preference primaries to be held May 27, was filed today in the office of the secretary of state.

Under the state law if the president is given a majority in the primary the West Virginia delegates to the Republican National Convention will be pledged to support Secretary of State Houston Young announced.

FIRM ANNOUNCES CHANGES

Several important changes have been made in the personnel of the Summers and Son organization. J. A. Arnold, formerly of this city, who has been connected with the Jackson store, has been transferred to Chillicothe to take charge of the branch store there. He has purchased property there and is moving this week.

Walter Head, formerly with the Jackson store, has accepted a position in the Portsmouth store. William Waters from Los Angeles has taken a position at the Jackson store as salesman and expert tuner.

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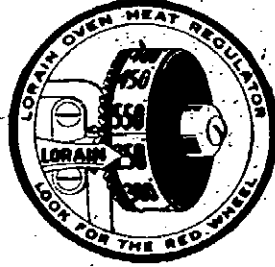
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PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY HAS FAITH IN CITY, GENERAL MANAGER TELLS KIWANIAN

Mr. Bonner Outlines Plans Of Company

In plain, forceful language, without a flourish or a gesture, H. G. Bonner, vice-president and general manager of the Portsmouth Public Service Co., outlined the plans of his company at the annual meeting of the Kiwanis club, held at the Mary Louisa, Wednesday, April 23. Mr. Bonner, who is a native of Portsmouth, Ohio, and who has been in the city for many years, addressed the club members with the sincerity of purpose, and incidentally made the membership have a greater faith in their adopted city when the speaker stated that his company believed Portsmouth was destined to become a city of great future. Mr. Bonner was introduced to the club by H. H. Higgins, who also presented the superintendent of the company, Mr. R. W. Carson, but his address before the club is scheduled for a later date.

decided within a short time. The committee has recommended a beautiful site along the Scioto river, which can be leased for an indefinite period, and for a comparatively small sum, in his address Mr. Bonner said in part:

By Body of Investors
The Portsmouth Public Service Company was organized to take over the business and property of the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light Company and the Ohio Valley Traction Company. All the securities of the Portsmouth Public Service Company are owned by the Virginian Power Company, whose securities are in turn owned by a large number of investors in various parts of the country. In reality, therefore, instead of being owned by a single individual or a small group of people, the Portsmouth Public Service Company is owned by a large body of investors whose money has been used in the purchase of the property from its former owners and from whom, or others like them, must come the funds for future expansion of Portsmouth's public utility facilities.

The actual operation and management of the Portsmouth Public Service Company are vested in Henry L. Doherty and Company of New York, who, as you doubtless know, control and operate many public utilities in all parts of the country. Doherty and Company do not own controlling interest in the Portsmouth Public Service Company nor in the Virginian Power Company, however, but simply have charge of the operation and management under a contract made with the majority

stockholders. I have been asked to tell you what the Portsmouth Public Service Company thinks of Portsmouth. The best answer to that is that we are here in charge of the electric light and power and street railway properties in Portsmouth. If we did not feel that there was an excellent future for our business here, it would not be here today. The money which we have invested for our clients in the Portsmouth properties would have been invested in some other community where we considered the future prospects were brighter. Expressed in another way, we believe that the prospects for the future of Portsmouth are as bright as any place else in the country, and we have backed that belief with a good many dollars, not only in the purchase of the property, but also in the additions to that property now under construction. If I were to talk for an hour, I do not believe that I could express more forcefully our faith in the future of this community. I do want to add, however, that this faith is not based on snap judgment. It is based on a very careful investigation by our engineers and on our experience of some twenty odd years in the public utility business. We are confident that Portsmouth will continue to grow and we are confident that we can be, and with your co-operation will be a factor in that growth.

Express Appreciation
I want to take this opportunity to publicly express our appreciation of the cordial welcome that has been extended to us on all sides—from private individuals as well as from the city officials. The fact that I have been asked to speak to you here today is certainly evidence of your friendly attitude because while I have never yet been accused of being even a near orator.

Your city officials have shown a disposition to meet us half way in solving our problems of furnishing adequate and dependable light, power and street railway service in the city in a manner that will result in the greatest good for the greatest number of the citizens of Portsmouth. I assure you gentlemen that it is indeed a great pleasure to be permitted to do business on such a basis for far too often, attempts are made to drag

local politics into utility matters to the ultimate detriment of the service.

Dependent Upon Service
The future growth of the city is in a considerable measure dependent upon the character of service that we furnish. That is a broad statement and yet I am sure that after due you will agree with me. Suppose for a moment that you were a manufacturer looking for a new location for a manufacturing plant. Here are two towns that, aside from the standpoint of utility service, are equally attractive. One city has an adequate power supply, the central station in the other city is already fully loaded. One city has excellent street railway facilities that will enable you to locate your plant in an advantageous part

of the city and yet permit your employees to live in a more attractive residential part with quick and cheap transportation between their homes and your plant. The other city has inadequate local transportation, in which city would you decide to locate your plant?

The answer is self evident. "That is why I say that this company can be, and with your co-operation will be, a factor in building up your city. We do this from a selfish standpoint. It is true because we can grow and prosper only with the growth and prosperity of the city.

The city's interests and our interests are identical. We are dependent upon the city for fair treatment and the city is dependent on us for good service. If two must go hand in hand for the

must be remembered that it requires large sums of money to provide public utility facilities. Our business is different from most other business in that from \$3 to \$5 must be invested for each \$1 of annual gross revenue. This means that we can turn our capital over only once in from 3 to 5 years. Compare this with the average merchant's rate of turn-over and you will readily see why utility companies must constantly be selling stocks and bonds to investors to get the money to provide the facilities for service which growing communities expect and demand.

In Open Market
Of course to get this money, the utility must compete for it in the open market. If its credit is good, it gets the money, if it isn't, it doesn't get the money and in that

case the extensions of utility service are not made and the community is in the end the loser. That is why a utility company must be prosperous in order to be an asset to the community. That is why its rates must be sufficient to pay operating and maintenance expenses and in addition a fair return on the money invested in serving the public.

You may not know it, but every one of you men here who have a life insurance policy are in reality investors in public utility securities because practically all insurance companies have a part of their reserves invested in utility securities. This I am getting away from my subject. To come back to it, I want to repeat that we have great faith in the future of Portsmouth and will do our full share to help in its development. We have only one request to make and that is that you judge us by our actions rather than by our promises and in passing judgment that you take into consideration the fact that public utility facilities cost real money and that they can not be financed, installed and put into operation over night.

Hint of Mysterious Letter About Land Permits Sent By Solicitor Booth

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—A hint of a mysterious letter about land permits, said to have been written by Solicitor Booth of the interior department to Senator Wheeler of Montana law firm was heard today by the special senate committee investigating the senator's indictment on a charge of accepting money for appearing before the department in land matters.

Senator Sterling, of South Dakota, a Republican member of the committee, said he had been told of such a letter and expected to produce it before the investigation was ended. He declined to reveal the source of his information or say who prepared a memorandum with the aid of which he was questioning J. V. Beaulieu, a western attorney who said he also had "heard" of such a letter. J. V. Beaulieu, the

only witness at today's hearing, testified he had been chief counsel for Gordon Campbell, the Montana oil man indicted with Senator Wheeler, but never heard of the senator's acting for Campbell in land cases. On the contrary, he said, Wheeler had told him he declined specifically to have anything to do with any of the Campbell's litigation except in the Montana state courts.

Aviators Hurt In Plunge

MOUNDSVILLE, W. Va., April 23.—Two men identified as Ames Elbro, pilot and Raymond Lemaster, passenger, enroute from Bolling Field, Washington, to Dayton, Ohio, were seriously injured at noon today when their plane was wrecked while attempting to land at Laughlin Field here.

Both were taken to a hospital unconscious. Their plane was demolished.

STAGE DRIVER FOR 38 YEARS

Kentuckian Says He Used To Have Bad Spells of Indigestion Until He Began To Take Black-Draught.

West Liberty, Ky.—Over the mountain roads between here and Wrigley, which for many years were rough and often dangerous, Mr. F. M. Caskey, of this place, has carried the mail for thirty-eight years.

Winter and summer, rain or shine, each day Mr. Caskey has driven his team of mules up the steep trail and back again, so that his friends and neighbors may have their daily mail. And now, although 65 years old, Mr. Caskey, hale and hearty, daily can be seen driving his sturdy mules over the mountains to Wrigley.

At one time, however, Mr. Caskey was not in such robust health as he is now—so he told a recent visitor to West Liberty.

"I used to suffer a great deal with indigestion," he said. "I would have gas on my stomach and a tight feeling in my breast, an uncomfortable feeling, and, after a few days, I could not have a sleep. At times it felt like my head would burst, I would get so constipated.

"I had tried remedies, but didn't get results. One day some one told me of Black-Draught. Since then it has been a family medicine with us. I found, by taking it when I had these indigestion spells, I could ward off the headache. So I keep it in the house and have used it over ten years."

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Associated Press Elects Officers

NEW YORK, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Frank B. Noyes, of The Washington Star, today was elected president of the Associated Press by the newly organized board of directors.

E. H. Butler, of the Buffalo News, was elected first vice president and G. P. J. Mooney, of the Memphis Commercial Appeal, second vice president. The counsel, Melville B. Stone, was re-elected secretary and the general manager, Frederick Roy Martin, was re-elected assistant secretary. J. R. Vonnat was re-elected treasurer. The executive committee was re-elected with one exception. Members are:

E. Lansing, N.Y. St. Louis Globe Democrat; Charles Howell, Atlanta Constitution; Charles Hopkins Clark, Hartford Courant; Elbert H. Baker, Cleveland Plain Dealer; Frank R. Noyes, Washington Star; Adolph S. Ochs, New York Times; Robert McLean, Philadelphia Bulletin, who was elected to succeed his father, W. L. McLean.

Daniels Policy Was To Keep As Much Oil In The Ground As Possible

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Joseph Daniels, as secretary of the navy, was "very judicious" when it came to getting any lease for lands within the naval oil reserves, Commander H. A. Stuart, U. S. N., said in a letter read today in the record of the senate oil committee. Commander Stuart was in charge of the reserve under Mr. Daniels and is now on duty in Wyoming with the Teapot Dome reserve receivers.

Stating that the oil land leased while Mr. Daniels was secretary amounted only to 120 acres to the Consolidated Mutual Oil Company and five wells to the Boston Pacific Oil Company, all in reserve, number two, in California, Commander Stuart said that after the result of the 1920 election, "Mr. Daniels particularly stated that he had consistently refused to open up the reserves and that he would not change that policy before leaving office."

"To any of us who tried to get Mr. Daniels to loosen his hold on the reserves in cases where we considered it very essential to do defensive drilling," the letter added, "it is highly amusing to see the newspapers attempt to make him out as an exploiter of the reserves."

"I feel that there is not a single naval officer who had any thing to do with the naval petroleum reserves during Secretary Daniels' tenure of office who would not testify most emphatically that his attitude at all times was to keep as much oil in the ground as possible."

Commander Stuart's letter was in reply to one sent to him by Senator Walsh, proponent of the oil committee

on April 1.

James O. Lewis, a petroleum engineer, called by Senator Spencer, Republican, Missouri, testified at today's committee session that Teapot Dome would have been drained to a serious extent by adjacent wells had its development been delayed. Drilling operations on the dome since its lease, he

said, had disclosed geological conditions which would have led to exhaustion of the dome's oil stores by Salt Creek producers.

The witness refused to make positive estimates of the degree or proportion of drainage, saying there were too many "unknown factors."

CHILD IS BADLY SCALDED

Dorothy Shump, year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shump of Long Meadow addition, Sevierville, suffered serious burns about the legs and feet Tuesday when she fell into a four gallon jar of scalding water in the home. The girl was playing with a brother and sister and was accidentally pushed backwards into the water.

Mayor Has Fast Steppers
Mayor Ralph Calvert is home from Picketon where he has several race horses in training at the Picketon track.

Commission Newest Cruiser



Scenes on board the new cruiser Trenton when it was commissioned recently at Philadelphia. Inset (left) Captain F. G. Kauffman, who will have command, and Captain M. E. French of the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

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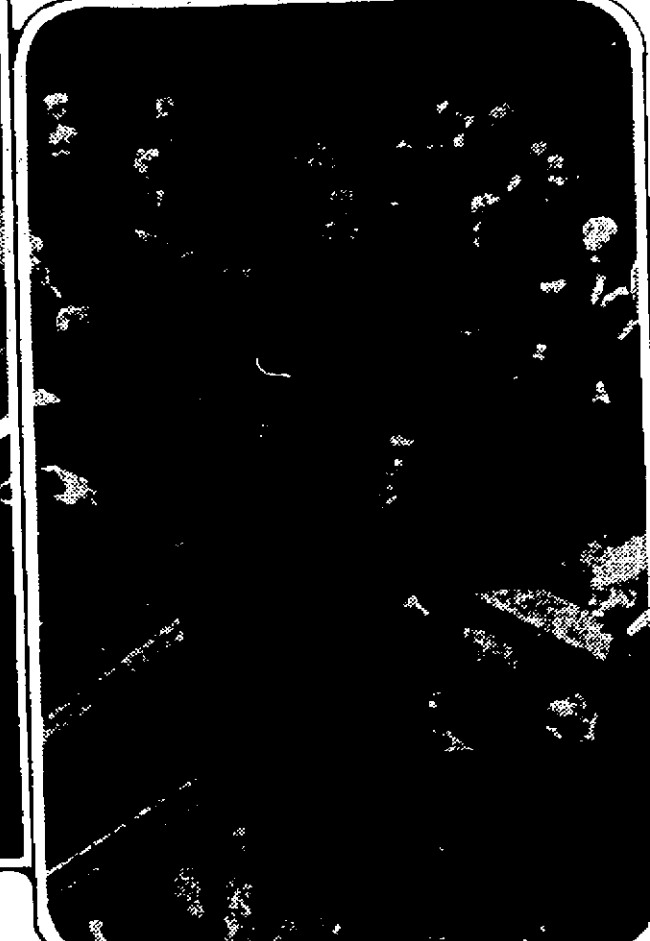
PREPARED—For an outbreak. A typical street scene in Munich during the trial of General Erich von Ludendorff and Adolf Hitler on the charge of high treason. The trial was an outgrowth of the unsuccessful "beer revolt" of Bavarian fascists last fall in which Ludendorff and Hitler were leaders.



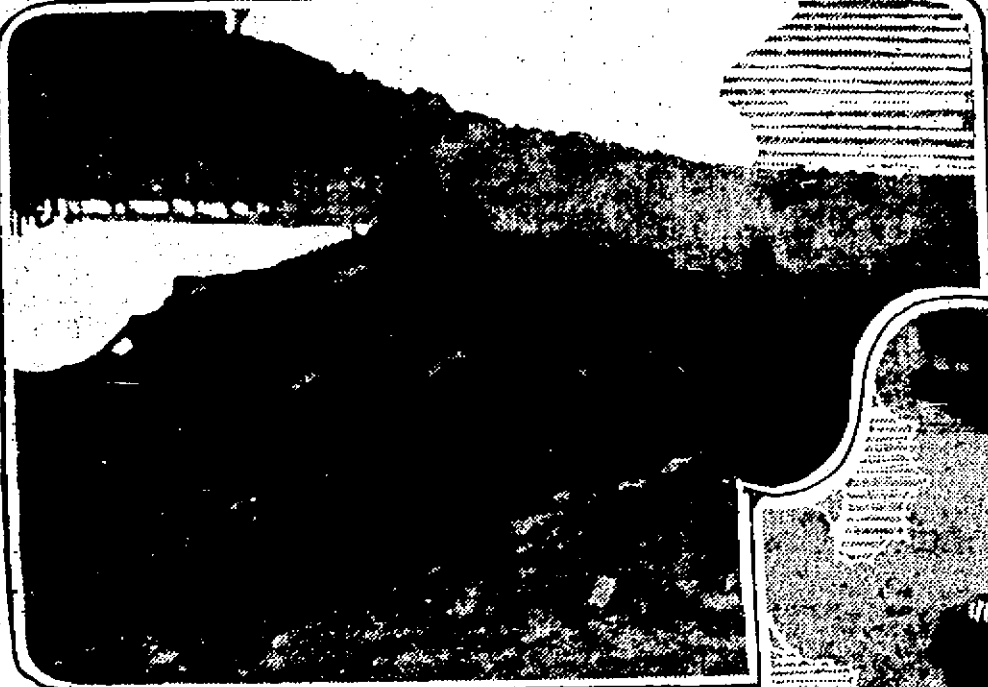
QUEEN—Miss Esther Halton, of Fort Worth, Tex., in the royal robes of the pageant which accompanied the opening of the Southwestern Exposition and Stock Show.



IN A NEW BUSINESS—Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss is acting as receiver of the Teapot Dome oil reserve with A. E. Watts of the Sinclair interests, a task given him when the government obtained an injunction against Sinclair, lessee of Teapot.



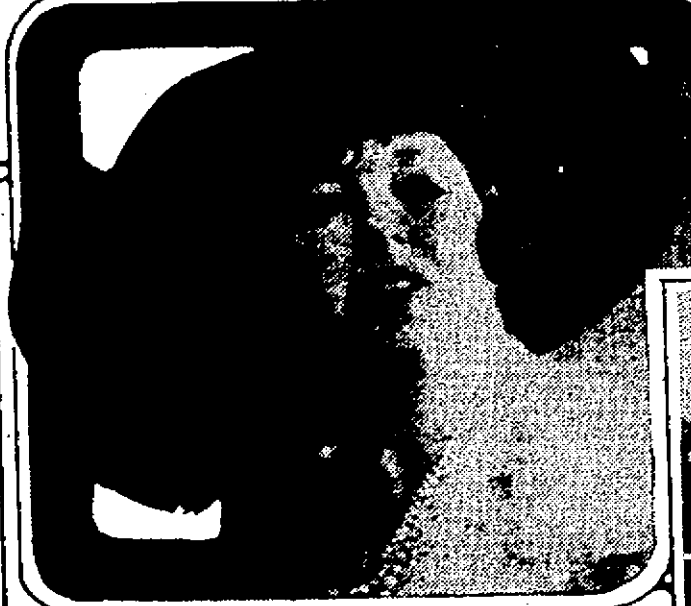
REICHSTAG GIVEN TO THE AIR—Just before it got the air. Dr. Marx, chancellor, standing before a radio microphone as he delivered a speech, a few days before the assembly was dissolved. President Ebert sits at the right of the speaker.



SAVED BY STEEL—Only one person was killed when a Central Vermont railroad express rolled down the bank of Winooski river near North Duxbury, Vt. The fact that many lives were not lost was due to the solid steel construction of the cars, officials said.



PARTNERS' ALWAYS—Mrs. Mary Hastings Bradley gave more than a quart of blood in an attempt to save the life of her husband, Herbert P. Bradley (insert), explorer, with whom she has faced peril many times on African trails.



HER OWN CREATION—Mlle. Marthe Regnier, French actress, showing the hat that established a new mode in Paris. It is of black silk with an upturned brim which can be changed in swing, shape and position to suit the face of the woman wearing it.



PAINTING THE LILY—A. B. Wilcox, of the Field Museum in Chicago, manufacturing synthetic spring in the form of a case of artificial spring flowers. The cases are placed where they will inject that April feeling—after taking—into those dissipated by the annual battle with King Winter.



THEY'RE ALL UP IN THE AIR—Contestants taking the jumps in the first flight of the 120-yard high hurdles at the recent Oxford University intercollegiate meet, won by S. H. Thomson (at extreme right), an American. Thomson formerly was a Princeton student.



EUROPA—Up to date, so to speak. Gladys Roy rode an airplane like a bronco to drop flowers over Clover Field at Santa Monica, Cal., while Major F. L. Martin and his crew were preparing to take off in their round-the-world flight.

REACHING—For a high one and the third base job with the Boston Braves, Ernie Padgett, the lad who pulled a triple play unassisted last year, is working hard at the St. Petersburg, Fla., camp to fill the berth made vacant by Tony Bocchek's death. Padgett came up from Memphis via the draft route. He is fast, has a good arm and hits fairly well. Arthur Devlin, old Giant star, has the boy in hand, teaching him the fine points of third base.



"THERE'S NO ACCOUNTING FOR PETS"—A member of the Ebonyville younger set feeding her pet lion cub. The picture was taken somewhere in Central East Africa by A. Kittenberger, Hungarian explorer.



SEIZED—The British government is investigating the capture of the S. S. Orduna of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., an English concern. The vessel was taken over by U. S. officials at New York, who charged violation of the customs, narcotic and prohibition laws. The government asked \$1,000,000 bond of the Orduna's owners.

Diminishing Activity In Bonds; Foreign and Domestic Prices Irregular

NEW YORK, April 23.—Regular price movements characterized the early dealing in bonds today with diminishing activity in foreign and Government issues. Treasury 4½'s, however, were in demand, selling at 1.01 20-32nds, a new high record.	Trading was quiet in the railroad list, but there were wide fluctuations in a number of industrial lists. Reflecting the improvement in the copper market, the Congo de Base SS moved up 3 points, and other copper issues were firm. Mixed movements prevailed in Wilson and Com-	pany obligations, the convertible 7½'s recovering four points and the 6½'s losing 12. Weakness cropped out in the rubber issues, with Apr 15 SS yielding 3 points and the Apr 15/68 8's at a point. The Southern Pacific 5½'s, 410,000 equipment issues, offered today, was quickly sold.	
U. S. BONDS.	[Sales.] [High.] [Low.] p. m.	U. S. BONDS.	[Sales.] [High.] [Low.] p. m.
Liberty Bids	146 99 111 99-99 99-10	Cuba Can Sugar deb. 8s, stipd.	131 98 98 95

Do 2nd 4½s	261100-003 99-31 99-31	Douner and Rio Grande Ref. 6s	101 33½ 33 33
Do 3rd 4½s	176100-101 00-08 00-08	Detrol Edison Ref. 6s	5100½ 100 100
Do 4th 4½s	242100-001 00-00 00-00	Do 2½s, R	2 82½ 82½ 89½
U. S. Gov't 4½s	142101-20104-15 104-15	DuPont de Nemours 7½s	3107½ 107½ 107½
FOREIGN.	[Sales.] [High.] [Low.] [p. m.]	Dunsmuir Light 6s	16104½ 104½ 104½
Anton-Juergen Mang. Works 6s	111 76 76 70	Eastern Cuba Sug. 7½s	7104 104 104
Argentina 7s	15101½ 101 101	Empire Gas and Fuel 7½s	301 90½ 90½ 90½
Austrian Govt. 2nd. loan 7s	9 90 90 90	Erie gas. Ilen 4s	2 55½ 52½ 53½
City of Bordeaux 6s	31 82½ 82½ 82½	Goodrich 6½s	41 95½ 95 95
City of Copenhagen 5½s	38 89½ 89½ 89½	Great Northern S. S. 1851	214100½ 102½ 103½
City of Greater Prague 7½s	8 83 84½ 83	Do 4½s	2115½ 115 115
City of Rio de Janeiro 8s, 1917	20 92½ 92½ 92½	Great Northern S. S., A	13107½ 107½ 107½
Czechoslovak 4½s 6½s	11 97½ 97 97½	Do 5½s, R	41 98½ 98½ 98½
Department of Science 7s	71 88½ 88 88	Hershey Chocolate 6s	4102½ 102½ 102½
Depn. of Canada 5s, 1952	5100 99½ 100	Hudson and Man. and Ref. 5s	101 60½ 60½ 60½
		Humble Oil and Ref. 5½s	61 98½ 98½ 98½

12	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	Do ref. 5s, stud.	41	61 1/2	61	61	
88	96 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2	Infer. and Gt. Northern ad. 6s	83	45 1/2	45 1/2	45	
12 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	Inter. Merc. Marine s. f. 6s	11	83	83	83	
2	102	101 1/2	102	International Paper rfg. 5s, A	3	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	
12	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2	Kans. City P. and L. 5s	11	91	90 1/2	90	
12	93 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	Kansas City Southern 5s	4	89 1/2	89 1/2	89	
38	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	Kelly-Springfield, Tire 5s	19	96 1/2	95 1/2	96	
33	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	Lake Shore and M. S. deb. 4s, 1931	1	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	
21	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	Malabar Sugar 7 1/2s	31	100 1/2	100	100	
3	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	Midvale Steel cv. 6s	102	88 1/2	88 1/2	88	
9	104	103 1/2	104	Mo., Kan. and T. new pr. lien 6s, A	4	82	81 1/2	82	
7	96 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2	Do ad. 5s, A	40	62 1/2	62	62	
12	94	93 1/2	93 1/2	Mo. Pacific gen. 4s	39	66 1/2	66	66	
2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	New Eng. Tel. and Tel. 1st 5s	2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98	
6	100	100	100	New Orleans, T. and M. inc. 5s	20	86 1/2	86 1/2	86	
11	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	New York Central deb. 6s	7	106	105	106	
18	101	100 1/2	101	Do ref. and imp. 5s	17	97 1/2	97 1/2	97	
20	95	94 1/2	94 1/2	New York Edison ref. 6 1/2s	5	111 1/2	111	111	
68	40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	N. Y., N. H. and H. cv. 6s, 1948:	1	98 1/2	98 1/2	98	
				N. Y. Telephone ref. 6s, 1941:	8	106 1/2	104 1/2	105	
				N. Y. Westchester and Bos. 4 1/2s	2	46	46 1/2	46	
6	88 1/2	88	88 1/2	Norfolk and Western cv. 6s	17	124 1/2	124 1/2	124	
1	101	101	101	Northern American Edison s. f. 6s	7	92 1/2	92 1/2	92	
101	99 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	Norfolk and Western ref. 6s, B	10	108 1/2	108 1/2	108	
28	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	Northwestern Bell Tel. 7s	4	107 1/2	107 1/2	107	
28	98 1/2	98	98 1/2	Oreg.-N. Wash. R. R. and Nav. 4s	5	80 1/2	80 1/2	80	
18	87 1/2	87	87 1/2	Pacific Gas and Elec. 5s	5	91 1/2	91 1/2	91	
1	97	97	97	Pacific Tel. and Tel. 5s, 1952	1	91 1/2	91 1/2	91	
20	96	95 1/2	95 1/2	Penna. R. R. 6 1/2s	6	105 1/2	105 1/2	105	
9	89 1/2	89	89	Do 5s	2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100	
3	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	Phila. Co. ref. 6s	3	101 1/2	101 1/2	101	
1	83	83	83	Pierce-Arrow 5s	8	72	71 1/2	72	
10	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2	Public Service 5s	10	90 1/2	90	90	
3	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	Public Service 5s	2	110 1/2	110 1/2	110	
6	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	Republic Iron and Steel 5 1/2s	10	90	89 1/2	89	
794	77 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	St. L. and San Fran. pr. lien 4s, A	19	68	67 1/2	68	
13	77 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	Do inc. 6s	10	62 1/2	62	62	
11	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	St. L. and San Fran. pr. lien 4s, A	1	81 1/2	81 1/2	81	
4	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	Seaboard Air. Line con. 7s	11	91 1/2	91 1/2	91	
8	95 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	Do ad. 5s	5	64 1/2	64	64	
3	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	Sinclair Con. Oil col. 7s	17	91 1/2	91 1/2	91	
10	94	93 1/2	94	Do 6 1/2s	8	87	87	87	
12	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	Sinclair Pipe Line 5s	35	83	83	83	
34	36	36	36	Southern Pacific cv. 4s	10	94 1/2	94 1/2	94	
A	1	97 1/2	97 1/2	Do ref. 4s	2	86 1/2	86 1/2	86	
	1	77 1/2	77 1/2	Southern Railway gen. 6 1/2s	7	104 1/2	104	104	
				Do 4s	21	71 1/2	71 1/2	71	
				Southwestern Bell Tel. rfg. 5s	11	93 1/2	93	93	
				Sugar Estates of Oriente 7s	5	97	97	97	
				Tenn. Electric ref. 6s	6	96	95 1/2	96	
				Third Avenue ad. 5s	14	88	88	88	
				Union Pacific 1st 4s	4	90	90	90	
				Do cv. 4s	8	96 1/2	96 1/2	96	
				U. S. Rubber 5s	4	80	79 1/2	80	
				U. S. Steel s. f. 5s	13	102 1/2	102 1/2	102	
				Va. Car. Chem. 7s	2	61	61	61	
				Virginian Ry. 5s	8	94 1/2	94 1/2	94	
				Western Maryland 1st 4s	2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61	
				Westinghouse Electric 7s	24	107 1/2	107 1/2	107	
				Wilson and Co. 1st 6s	43	85 1/2	84 1/2	85	
				Youngstown Sheet and Tube 6s	9	95 1/2	95 1/2	95	

Market Shows Hardening Tendency									
that occurred in the preceding few days.									
Imperial Oil of Canada was one of the strong features moving up 3 points and there was active trading in Prairie Oil and Gas which made about the same amount of gain. Some of the pipe line stocks were also in demand at higher levels. Standard Oil of Indiana was traded in on a large scale moving up about 1 point and there was renewed demand for Ches. and O. of the S. 2 points in the latter half of the day.									
strongest in that group. Only a small amount of business was transacted in the industrial issues which were generally higher. Dollar moved about one point and there was a national rally in Durant Motor, Hudson and Manhattan and Hudson continued to prefer continued in demand on material change in price. There was another show of strength in national Tex which rose five p. American Light and Traction also strong moving up 2 points.									

ances, the demand for International Petroleum being a feature of the market. Independent oil stocks were firm. Self-Grant Producers being the

Sales	High	Low	Close	Swan and Finch	120	51	40 1/2
100	97	97	97	Vacuum Oil	4,900	50 1/2	58 1/4
100	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	INDEPENDENT OILS			
150	73	72 1/2	72 1/2	Mutual Oil cdfs.	3,700	10 1/2	7 1/2
100	8	8	8	Saptala Ref.	2,200	2-1 1/2	1 1/2
700	1 1/2			DOMESTIC BONDS			
200	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	Peck & Co		9	60
205	33 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	Allied Pecker Sls		5	71 1/4
100	22	22	22	Am. Gas and Elec. 6s		1	94
100	24	24	24	Am. Rolling Mills 6s		7	90 3/4
100	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	Am. Sumatra Tob. 7 1/2s	17	94 1/2	93 1/2
200	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	Associated Copper 6s		1	101 1/2
100	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Anncon Sln Hdwr 6 1/2s	16	90	90
100	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	6 1/2s Bond 8 1/2s	53	73	72 3/4
100	53	53	53	Retbleum Steel 7s, 1925	4	103 1/2	
300	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Canadian Nat. Ry. cfs. 7s	2	108 1/2	108 1/2
10	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	Cities Service 7s "C"	3	94 1/2	94 1/2
1,300	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	Cities Service 7s "D"	13	91 1/2	91
350	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	Con. Textile 8s	8	80	77
77	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	Cuban Tel. 7 1/2s	1	106 1/2	106 1/2
400	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	Edgco 7 1/2s	12	85 1/2	85 1/2
100	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	Deere and Co. 7 1/2s	4	100	100
				Detroit. Edgco 6s	9	101	103 1/2

400	5/4	5/4	5/4	General Pet. 6s	20	96%	96%
700	53	53	53	Hood Rubber 7s	12	100	100
700	17 1/2	17	1/2	Internatl. Match 6 1/2s	2	93	93
200	80	80	80	Kennecott Copper 7s	6	104%	3

400	21	20	20	Libby, McNeill and Libby 75	2	100	100
100	16 1/4	16 1/4	16 1/4	Market St. Ry. 75	10	90	90 1/2
30	64	64	64	Morris and Co. 7 1/2	1	90	90
100	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	National Leather 8 1/2	5	96 1/4	96 1/4
20	130	130	130	Nor. Orleans Pub. Ser. 5 1/2	8	84 1/2	84 1/2
600	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	Nor. State Pow. 6 1/2	1	98 1/2	98 1/2
100	135	135	135	Park and Tilford Co	1	98	80 1/2
275	102 1/2	100 1/4	100 1/4	Public Serv. 5 1/2	1	100 1/2	100 1/2
40	89 1/2	80	89 1/2	Public Serv. Corp. of N. J. 7 1/2	5	106 1/2	106 1/2
1,500	18 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Solvay and Cio 5 1/2	1	99 1/2	99 1/2
200	97	96 1/2	96	St. Oil N. Y. 7 1/2, 1923	10	105 1/2	95 1/2
910	218 1/2	216 1/2	217 1/2	St. Oil N. Y. 7 1/2, 1929	1	106 1/2	106 1/2
310	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2	Swift and Co. 5 1/2	5	91 1/2	91 1/2
30	104	152	194	St. Oil N. Y. 6 1/2	7	106 1/2	97 1/2
100	48	48	48	Union Elect. L. and P. 5 1/2	1	92 1/2	92 1/2
30	135	132	133	United States 5 1/2	6	89	88 1/2
12,500	56 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	Vacuum Oil 7 1/2	1	106 1/2	106 1/2
100	40 1/4	40 1/4	40 1/4	United Trs. of Havana 7 1/2	2	107	107
400	103	102 1/4	103	FOREIGN BONDS			
40	230	229	230	Mexico Gov. 4s cfs.	20	32 1/2	34 1/2
1,500	39	38 1/2	38 1/2	Russian 6 1/2	1	107 1/2	107 1/2
10	265	265	265	Swiss 5 1/2	2	97 1/2	98 1/2
				Swiss 5 1/2	6	93	93

YES!

The Morning Sun is growing.

Comparison of circulation figures for Friday morning of this week, and of Friday morning a year ago show that the Sun now has a bona fide, paid circulation of 1183 more than a year ago. Truly a remarkable gain for any newspaper in a city of the size of Portsmouth.

This gain was divided as follows:

In the city limits of Portsmouth, 474.

Single wraps in county, 292.

Agents outside Portsmouth, 417.

Our circulation books are open to all interested.

The Portsmouth Morning Sun has gained a place in the community, and is wielding a rapidly growing influence. It is a complete newspaper, and everyone connected with it is giving his best endeavor to improve each issue.

I Am Innocent of Murder and Propose to Prove Innocence," Says Rickey; Praised by Boss

Relative to the case of Frank W. Rickey, Federal prohibition agent, accused of slaying Philip Kalb in Monroe, Mich., a few months ago, the Detroit News said, recently:

Frank W. Rickey, Federal prohibition agent, who faces a murder charge as the result of the death of Philip

Kalb, 39-year-old, a farmer boy living near Monroe, when a raid was made on the farm leased by the boy's father, Sam Kalb, the night of January 13, is called by E. L. Porterfield, assistant prohibition commissioner, one of the crack officers of the prohibition department. Mr. Porterfield says that Rickey possesses the same rare faculty as Izzy Einstein and Moe Smith in ferreting out liquor law violators and has to his credit the uncovering of many important liquor conspirators.

Posed as "Colonel"
"Rickey's record is equalled by few of the men in the department," said Mr. Porterfield. "We have the fullest confidence in him. Notable among the local cases he worked on successfully was the famous Mt. Clemens blind pigs case. We sent Rickey to Mt. Clemens with Agent Harry Nimmo and they succeeded in gathering evidence to warrant the arrest of a score of men and several women. Rickey posed as a rhyming Kentucky colonel, bent on a cure for his rheumatism, and not reluctant to drink of whiskey when on a social company was to be had. He was the most popular visitor to Mt. Clemens last summer. I venture to say without a doubt.

"The prohibition department is not defending Agent Rickey. His case was thoroughly investigated by the bureau of investigation of the United States Department of Justice, and they reported to the attorney-general at Washington. We have no interest in Rickey's trial for murder other than as his associates and friends. We are neither prosecutors nor defenders."

Four On Trial Cited
According to Delos G. Smith, United States District Attorney, he is satisfied that Rickey is "innocent of the murder charge after reading the report made by Frederick H. Kieser, chief of the Department of Justice agents, that he tried in Federal Court," said Mr. Smith. "There is a section of the Revised Statutes of the United States which provides that any revenue officer charged with an offense under the state laws committed while exercising authority as a government officer, may demand that he be tried before a Federal court. Since Rickey has made this demand, the Federal court takes precedence of the court of Monroe."

Denies Shooting
"I am innocent of murder, and I propose to prove my innocence," said Rickey. "There are plenty of witnesses who were present during the raid on the Kalb farm, who will testify that I did not shoot young Kalb. I have placed myself in the hands of the district attorney, and am confident that I will be cleared of even the suspicion of having shot the Kalb boy."

Rickey's home is in Portsmouth, O. He was appointed by Roy A. Haynes, prohibition commissioner as a general prohibition agent three years ago, and has worked on assignments in various parts of the United States.

SOCIETY

An unusually large crowd attended the social and bazaar given this afternoon by the Married Ladies of St. Mary's church, in Baesman's Hall. The affair will be continued tonight and the general public is cordially invited to attend. Bridge and Five Hundred will be included in the diversions for those who do not care for dancing, which will be the main feature of the evening. Good music, refreshments, a country store, fish-pot and many other amusements will be provided for young and old. The proceeds of the affair will be for the benefit of St. Monica's school at New Boston.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Trinity Church will serve a May Morning breakfast on Thursday, May first, from 5:30 until 9:00 o'clock. An attractive menu is being prepared for the occasion and reservations can be made for family parties, hiking clubs, groups and small parties by phoning Mrs. John T. Breece, president of the society, or Mrs. Gus McAbler, the secretary. Tickets will also be on sale and may be secured from any member of the society.

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Daugherty Strikes Back; Defends Harding Nomination

WASHINGTON, April 23.—(By the A. P.)—Harry M. Daugherty in a statement issued here last night, declared that "President Harding was nominated and elected the freest man that ever stepped across the threshold of the White House." He said that "all the cheap, sensational talk by a partisan committee and others in regard to the manner in which President Harding was nominated and elected is false," the former attorney general declared.

"There was no oil discussion at the convention or during the Harding campaign. No promises were made by him to any man, nor did I make any promises for him, and nobody else was authorized to make any promises, and if they were made they never came to our ears."

Record to Be Party Issue
The assertion with reference to the late president was made in the course of a defense of his position in connection with the senatorial investigations. He touched explicitly upon a number of subjects to which witnesses have alluded in the hearings of recent weeks.

"The accomplishments of the department of justice," he declared "will be one of the great issues upon which the Republican party will win the next election. That is one of the reasons for the attacks that have been made upon me."

Taking up some of the testimony, Mr. Daugherty said: "The matter of drinking has been freely referred to. I never was a drinking man, and shortly after I was appointed attorney general, not wishing to be a hypocrite, it being my official duty to enforce the prohibition laws, I refrained from taking a drink of anything intoxicating and from that day since I have not done so. Nobody ever brought any liquor to my house, and I never served liquor in my house."

Explains Stock Holdings
"The testimony regarding the Wright-Martin stock is false and the witnesses who testified thereto lied, and Brookhart, my 'impartial' judge and juror who called attention to it, made a misstatement when he reiterated the story for publication. I bought 500 shares of Wright-Martin stock at 1 1/2 cents per share, long before I became attorney general. The company reorganized and I took in exchange for these 500 shares two or three small batches of the reorganized stock. This I now hold and all of it could be sold today for the amount I paid for the original 500 shares, or about \$2,500."

"The records of the department of justice will conclusively show how vigorously I pressed the case involving the company in behalf of the government, despite the interference by some of those who have been most active in criticizing me."

Relates Jess Smith Relations
Jess Smith was a young man whom my brother and I assisted in business in our home town in Ohio. He became a successful business man and was active in the campaign of Pres-

dishonest thing. He was with me only part of the time, and while I was not familiar with all his acts, I do not believe he was capable of doing a dishonest thing. I never knew him to have an office in the department of justice, although since his death I understand that he frequently made use of a room occupied by others for the purpose of looking after some private and legitimate matters for me which I did not have time to attend to myself.

"I knew nothing about his domestic affairs except that I knew he was worried on account of demands made upon him and the treatment he had received at the hands of a woman."

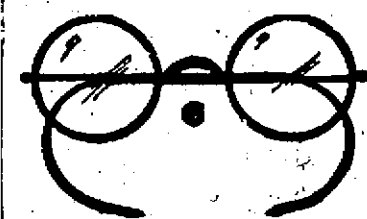
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Again mother-love has opened the prison gates. Governor Al Smith of New York has commuted the sentence of Gusie Hittman, held for perjury when a charge of implication in the murder of her sweetheart, Harry Garbe, had failed. She was taken from her two-week-old child and served two years of her sentence.

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A WIDE RANGE

GENERAL WOOD says he sympathizes with the desire of the Filipinos for independence, but—ah, that awful but—he is sorry they can not be granted it for several reasons, chief of which are the majority is not equipped for it and the country has not the economic resources to maintain a free government.

It would be interesting if the doughty General were somewhat more explicit in his position. Choosing America as the paragon there appears no necessity for an independent government in the matter of a majority of the inhabitants of a given area being equipped for it. Here the noisy minority is ever ready and eager to assume that function and, as a matter of fact, does usurp it. All that it finds necessary to do is to form a close organization; send a lobby over to Washington and keep digging away, proclaiming it, self the voice of the people and before long it will find a cowardly congress surrendering its powers to it; or if not that invariably complaisant in doing its will.

Human nature in every clime is just the same. There need be no question that the Filipinos, once granted freedom, would not find a superior minority, springing up over night, fully prepared to direct and rule over the ignorant and impotent majority.

The economic ability of the Philippines is another and a different matter. To be sure, if they take their cue from the United States in the subject of governmental expenditures, then there will be no hesitancy in agreeing with their present governor general, that they lack the wealth to set up a nation of their own. But there is neither necessity, nor reason why they should do that. Being a simple people they might be able to get along with one governmental flunkie for each one hundred and sixty people, instead of the ratio of one to sixteen, as prevails over here. Cutting the corners in the way of departments, bureaus and divisions, accepting the provisions of nature in regard to rivers and harbors and not resorting to official propaganda, laying aside ambition to maintain a fleet that could sweep the seas and army that could lick the world they might be able to stagger along.

It wouldn't cost this government any more to let them try it.

A FAVORITE SON THAT IS ONE

AS a rule we are not strong for "the favorite son" idea; it is too often the apology for the candidate who has little else to recommend him.

But there are exceptions to all things and we now find ourselves in the happy position of being able to advance "the favorite son" argument, because it has real merit to back it up. James M. Cox has been governor of the state more than once. He made for himself the record of being the most tireless and the most successful worker for the state that it ever had in the executive chair. Had he done nothing else, he still would have deserved the gratitude of her people because he secured the passage of the workman's compensation act, the wisest and the most beneficent measure ever written upon statute book, a measure that quite every other state, recognizing its merit and its justice, has since adopted.

Once he was the party's candidate for president. Conditions that would have been overwhelming to any other candidate confronted him, but unafraid—how we like to sincerely apply that qualification to any candidate—unafraid he fought the good fight and though defeated, he emerged from the campaign admired and honored by his supporters and earning the hearty respect of his opponents.

Again he is a candidate for president and again he asks Ohio Democrats for their support in the primaries of next Tuesday. In good conscience they must not, they can not, say him nay.

Democrats, when you go to the polls on next Tuesday, vote for James M. Cox as your presidential candidate, vote for the two delegates favorable to his nomination.

In this district the delegates having his endorsement are William N. Inman and George B. Nye.

Frank Vanderlip throws out the sly hint that if the public were to contribute to his rumor factory, said contributions would probably not be returned to the donors. So that's it.

ONE HAND AND THE OTHER

JUST now the Coolidge administration presents the spectacle and a rather pitiful one it is, of trying to undo with the left hand what the right hand did. Suits have been filed against the big electric companies, the Westinghouse and the General Electric for forming a combination in restraint of trade.

In 1922 these companies were quite as great and powerful as they are now. Their relations and combinations were no less intimate and restraining than they are now. The Fordney-McCumber tariff bill, the highest protective measure ever enacted, was passed in 1922. These companies were as much of a combination as they are now. In fact the department of justice was even then investigating their relations; but they got a full share in the juicy plums dispensed by the Fordney-McCumber measure, were buttressed by walls of "protection" that made it still harder for any outside competition to break in against them.

Sneaking the infant until it grew into a frightful and gigantic ogre was never either a safe or a profitable business.

Hi Johnson appears to be meeting the fate of a great many who stick to the last ditch and are ditched.

The biological survey, in averring that the crow is a malignant bird, appears to be of the opinion that it is not as bad as it looks.

Ninety-nine per cent of public officials are probably honest, as a speaker avers, yet the public cannot be censured for being interested in the one per cent.

If public utterances jibed with their private thoughts, campaign managers would be the prize pollyannas.

NEW YORK DAY-BY-DAY

BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, April 23—The play in New York begins at 8:30, but the house is rarely seated until 9. Producers have fought this annoyance with every weapon at hand. They have tried to refuse to seat those who came after the curtain rose and a loss of steady patrons resulted.

They have tried advertising the curtain for 8:15 with no better result. Now the producers have combined in a series of advertisements to urge late comers to have consideration for the neighbors and for the disturbing effect on the players. New York audiences have tried of the scrabbles of dinner-table derelicts.

It is in these things of perhaps minor consequence that New York is heartless. When the city is on pleasure bent it has no thought of its neighbor. Men and women who would shrink from saying a harsh word to an employee do not hesitate to disturb an entire aisle.

At the opening night of a recent play the curfew had to be held until 9:30. At 9 o'clock there were only 17 people in the house. They felt about as conspicuous as the sixth person who suddenly realizes he hasn't pyjamas.

Lateness at the theatre is in the final analysis a species of swank—putting on the dog—which New York is always ready to overdo. They want to be seen; the women to show their fine clothes and the men to display beautiful escorts.

Tell New York it can't do anything and it will show that it can. One of the most successful midnight supper clubs built up its patronage by constantly turning people away when there was really plenty of room.

They came back to show that they could get in. The club maintains its steady patronage by turning people away and when the news is broadcast about the crowds flock there. Said the head waiter: "If I permitted them to occupy a table anytime they desired, they would soon tire of coming."

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Ah, ha! Fooled You!

Felicit Clerk: "Who was the first President of the United States?"

Citizenship Applicant: "Christopher Columbus."

P. C.: "I didn't ask you who discovered America!"

C. A.: "Well, I no said Georgia was Wash, nint it?"

Yes, She Found It!

"I brought home some plaster of paris yesterday," said Mr. Newby. "Have you seen it, dear?"

"Was it stuff that looked like flour, in a paper bag?"

"Yes."

"Does it get hard after it's been wet?"

"Yes."

"Oh, George! It was just too mean of you to leave that stuff lying around the kitchen. It took me nearly an hour with a hammer and chisel to get the batch of ten biscuits out of the baking tin."

—Boston Transcript.

SECOND HONEYMOON — BY BRIGGS



Would She Be Qualified?

A traveler stopping at a lonely mountain cabin asked for a drink of water. After drinking it, he got into conversation with the old woman who gave it to him, telling her great stories of what he had seen on his travels. Finally, when he had stopped to take breath, the old woman took her pipe out of her mouth and said: "Stranger, if I knew as much as you do, I'd go somewhere and start a 'little grocery'."

No Handicaps

Armless Beggar: "Not knocking off work for the day, are you?"

Legless Beggar: "No, but I've got to walk around a bit and warm up. Here, hold my coat for me while I get up."

You Said a.....

"Sure," walked Mrs. Casey over the back yard fence, "an' 'tis me husband was nearly poisoned last night when the bedroom ceiling was after collapse!"

"Tis foolish," remarked Mrs. Honkhan, "poisoned, indeed! Is it infernal injuries, ye mean?"

"Infernal injuries, me ego, Mrs. Honkhan! 'Tis poisoned I mean. Terence always sleeps with his mouth open."

The Restless Way

(By Frank L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.)

Never any season?

For lack of your ease, Restless when the work calls, Go! as you please;

The only free-and-easy Is the merry autumn breeze— 'Cept when it's blown towns across creation!

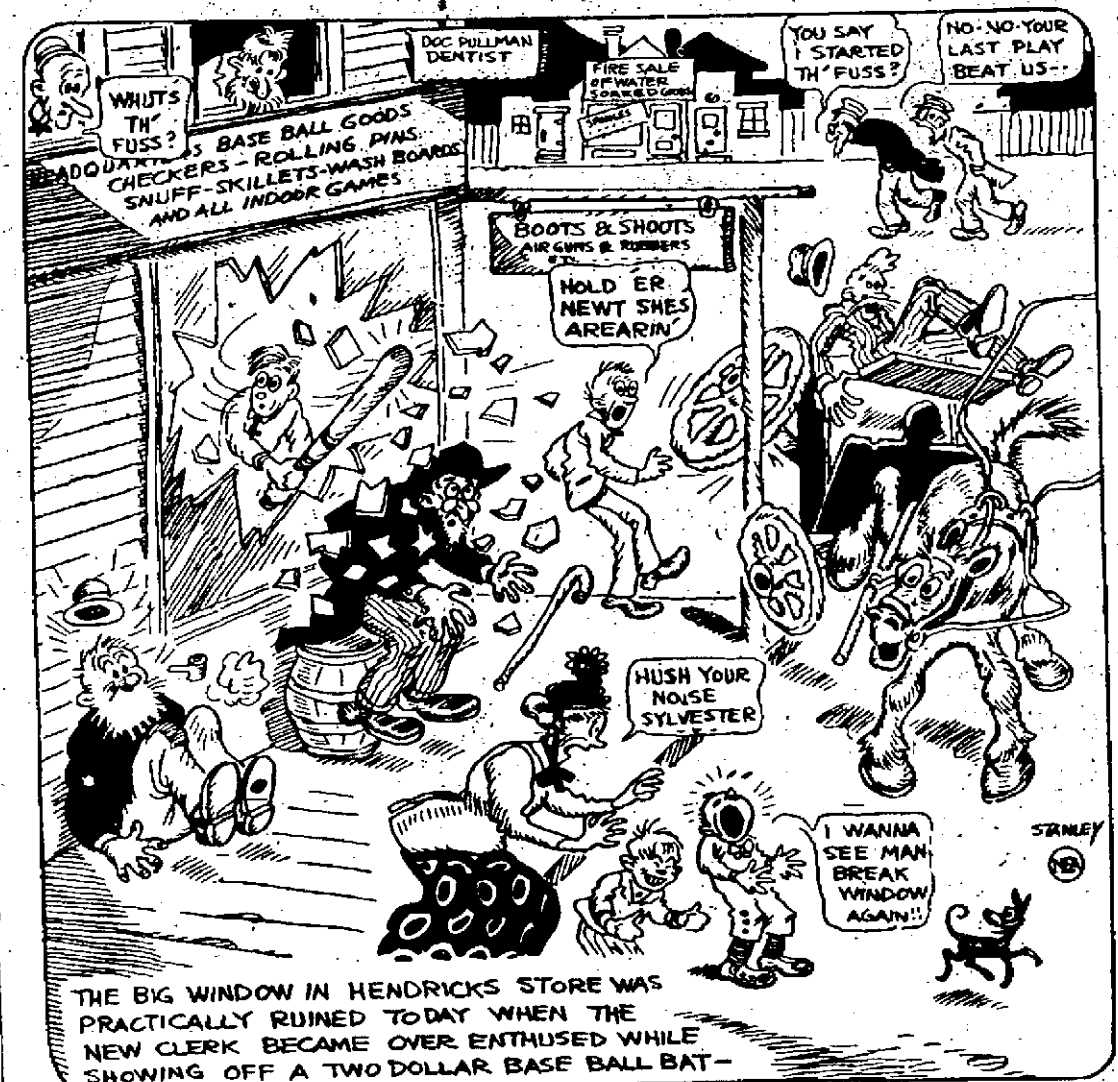
It's hustle on from snapp, When the mornin' tells you "Rise!"

World's songs the work songs, With never time for sighs; There's little rest that's written On the blue round of the skies

Till time's up, and hears the final roll call!

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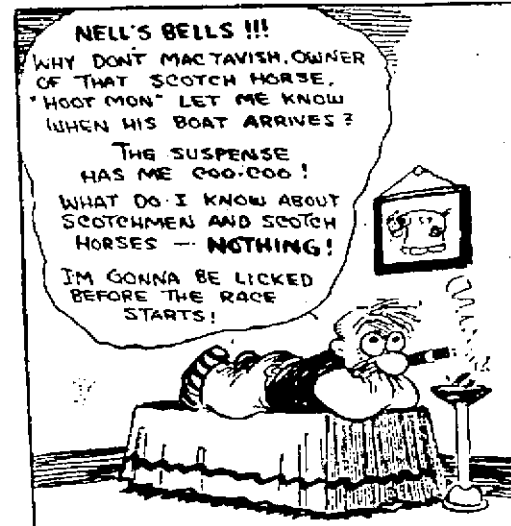
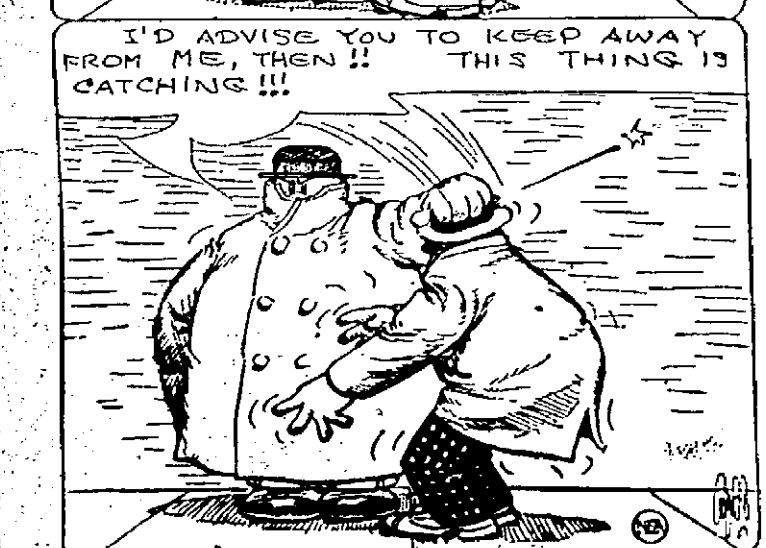
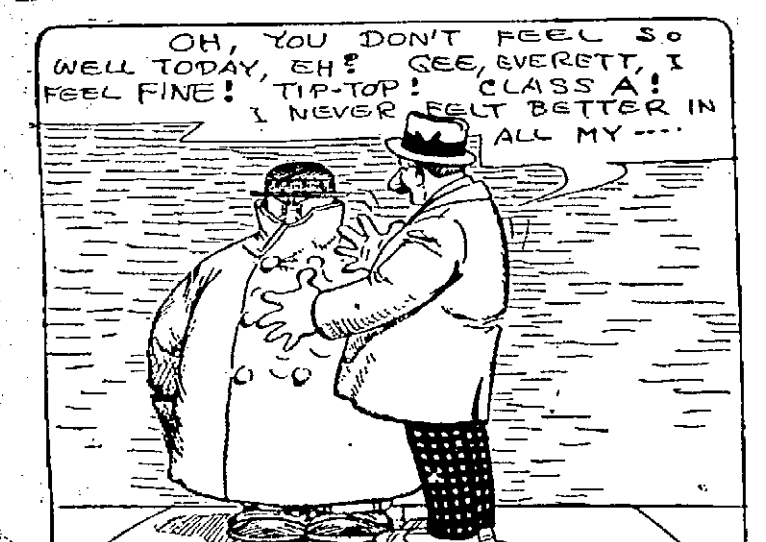
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